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Ten Million Deaths Russia's Estimate For Winter of 1922

Typhus Attacks Relief Missions As Well As Inhabitants; Many Piles of Frozen Bodies Reported; Suspicion Hampers Workers.

[By the Associated Press]

Moscow Jan 5—Russia has begun the year 1922 with eight months of unspeakable horror before her and the terrible dread that next summer's crop may only slightly relieve the gnawing famine

At Tsaratsin, Saratoff Samara Ufa Orenburg and Kazen frozen bodies are stacked high awaiting burial in trenches which workmen cannot prepare fast enough for the victims of famine exposure and typhus—and every day the situation is growing worse

TEN MILLION ESTIMATED

American relief workers who originally cautiously placed the number of probable deaths in the famine area this winter at 2 000 000 now say that the 000 000 is a low estimate and many say the number may reach 10 000 000 or even more This is possible particularly since the shortage of horses oxen and camels makes it impossible to reach more remote sections and since it is predicted the typhus epidemic probably will be the worse that Russia has ever suffered

The Americans are feeding nearly 1 000 000 children and the British and various other organizations are furnishing nourishment for at least 100 000 under the most dangerous conditions

TYPHUS ATTACKS RELIEF AGENTS

Dr Reginald Farrar of the epidemics commission of the League of Nations Miss Mary Patterson of the English Quaker Relief Mission and Dr Guertner of the German Red Cross have died within the last week of typhus contracted in the famine area Miss Nancy B ... William Kenworth of the English Quaker unit are ill with typhus at Buzneluk near Saratoff and Anna Louise Strong of Philadelphia who is associated with the English Quaker organization is recovering from the same malady in Moscow C ... Bell of the American Relief administration is convalescing from the disease at Ufa

George Newes of the British Save the Children fund reports he saw 250 frozen bodies many of whom were children buried in a trench at Saratoff in one day He says trainloads of refugee children underfed and scantily clad are riding from the famine area in such a pitiable condition that the living children are worse off than the dead

OFFICIALS AID

The soviet government has agreed to grant the American relief administration the use of 8 000 cars and 00 locomotives required to move the supplies which the $20 000 000 just appropriated by the United States will provide It is estimated that 200 cars and five locomotives will be required daily for 40 days

Although the high officials of the bolshevist government are giving the American relief workers cooperation there is a spirit of criticism manifested in many quarters which is surprising to Americans In the recent all Russian congress Dr Fridtjof Nansen and the organizations he leads were commended and more heartily by the delegates than was the American Relief administration Delegates from the floor criticized the Americans for permitting priests or their local relief committees

LITTLE PUBLICITY

The Russian newspapers are carrying little publicity about the American organization and are not permitted to print matter which does not come through the bolshevik hands or off ... between the relief administration and the soviet government

American relief workers say this suspicious attitude is a handicap to their work but they generally believe that this attitude will disappear with the proposed limitation of the activities of the soviet cheka

PREPARATIONS MADE FOR CANNES MEET

Meetings of Delegates and Experts Held.

[By the Associated Press]

Cannes France, Jan 5—Preparations went forward today for the opening here tomorrow of the allied supreme council A meeting was held today at which the question of reparations and the proposed international economic conference were discussed by Sir Robert Horne chancellor of the British exchequer, Sir Laming Worthington Evans British secretary for war, Louis Loucheur French minister of liberated areas

PRELIMINARY MEETINGS

The meeting was described as a preliminary conversation similar to that held yesterday by Premiers Lloyd George and Briand for the purpose of smoothing out difficulties in advance of the supreme council meeting

The experts of the various delegations also met today to arrange the agenda for the council

PAPER MAKERS AGREE ON WAGES

10,000 Unskilled Laborers Get Cut.

New York Jan 5—Settlement of the wage dispute between even large independent paper manufacturing companies and their employes was announced late Wednesday by a board of arbitration named to pass on the companies proposal for a 20 per cent reduction

10 000 GET CUT

J J Carlyle president of the Stregis paper company and a member of the arbitration board said the terms of the agreement meant an eight cent an hour decrease for about 10 000 unskilled workers but that there would be no change in the wages of some 5 000 skilled workers

NEW SCALE

The new scale for unskilled work he said will be 32 cents an hour while the skilled men will continue to get 41 cents and upward

The agreement is effective Jan 9 and will remain in force until May 1 he said

THIRTY YEAR OLD CAR AS EVIDENCE

East St Louis Ills Jan 5 — A freight car thirty years old was shown to a jury hearing a patent infringement suit here yesterday The judge jury counsel and court attaches were taken to railroad yard here where the evidence was presented The suit was brought against the Mount Vernon Car company by the Pressed Steel Car company and W A Murphy of Chicago the latter seeking to stop the former from using certain types of steel ends on their cars and to force an accounting for all such cars built by the defendants

The freight car was brought here from San Francisco to be presented as evidence

SOLDIER CLAIMS HE SAW 10-12 HANG

Testimony Supported By Photographs.

Washington Jan 5—Further testimony relating to the hanging of American soldiers at Is Sur Tille France was presented today to the senate committee investigating charges by Senator Watson Democrat Georgia that soldiers had been executed without a trial Herbert L Cadenhead of Orr ... lle Miss a former service man declared he had witnessed ten or twelve executions at Is Sur Tille while engaged in transporting German prisoners by truck in the vicinity of that place

RECORDS SHOW THREE

War department records previously submitted to the committee showed that two soldiers were hanged at Is Sur Tille after conviction by general court martial and gave the total executions in the A E F as 11 all after formal trial before military courts

NO STATEMENTS

Cadenhead did not know whether any of the men he saw hanged had been sent to their death without trial None of them he said made a statement when on the gallows He described in detail the executions which he claimed to have witnessed one of them being of a lieutenant Cadenhead said had been charged with assault on a 7 year old girl

Cadenhead produced several small photographs of purported hanging scenes

AGED KENOSHA RESIDENT DIES

Kenosha Wis Jan 5—Col William Wolcott Strong 63 long prominent in the social and industrial life of Kenosha and widely known throughout Wisconsin, died at his home here late Wednesday night.

WHITE HOUSE RECEPTION RENEWED AFTER NINE YEARS

For the first time in nine years, the White House New Year reception was held by President and Mrs Harding Jan 2 Members of the cabinet, government and military officials were received first Then, for more than two hours the public moved through the mansion in a line three blocks long as you see above

HEAVY STORM SWEEPS WEST

Much Property Damage Reported.

Tulsa Okla Jan 5—With at least a score of families homeless and several persons injured many towns in this district were recovering today from a storm which swept yesterday through northeastern Oklahoma and reached into southeastern Kansas and southwestern Missouri

Although an accurate estimate of the damage has not been made today some said it would exceed $175 000 The path of the storm ranged to the east across northern Oklahoma Then it dropped to a southeasterly direction reaching Muskogee At Joplin Mo its direction was reported to be northeast

BANK PRESIDENT IS KILLED BY ROBBERS

Chicago Jan —John Soffel president of the Maywood State bank was shot and killed and Louis Sweeney chief of police of the suburb and Arthur Benson a bank messenger were wounded today when five bandits robbed them of a $12 000 payroll for the Maywood plant of the American Can company

The bandits did not give the banker and his two guards a chance to hold up their hands They ordered the payroll car to stop and as it came to a halt opened fire killing Soffel almost instantly

Chief Sweeney was shot under the right arm and Benson in the side The latter's injuries are serious

The robbers occupied less than three minutes The robbers drove away with the money heading toward Chicago The scene of the holdup was only two blocks from the bank

HAYS ACCEPTS BIG MOVIE POSITION

Salary Fixed At $150,000 Per Year.

New York Jan —Postmaster General Will Hays has signed a contract to become director general of the National Association of the Motion Picture Industry at a salary of $150 000 a year according to the New York World The contract which runs for three years the newspaper says, was signed more than a week ago

Mr Hays the World added has arranged a conference with the national leaders of the motion picture industry in Washington Jan 11 at which time he will make public on his own account his decision to accept the post

MRS. A. MITCHELL PALMER IS DEAD

Washington Jan 5—Mrs A Mitchell Palmer wife of the former attorney general of the United States died suddenly at her home here Wednesday night

Mrs Palmer who was Miss Roberta Bartlett Dixon of Easton Md had been ill for some time but her death was unexpected

She was married in 1898 to Mr Palmer who was attorney general during the last two years of the second Wilson administration She is survived by Mr Palmer and a daughter

HAND SHOT OFF DRIVES 40 MILES

Spokane Wash Jan 5—After losing his right hand in a hunting accident H J Jones of Malden Wash stopped the flow of blood walked several miles to his automobile and then drove forty miles over ice covered roads to a doctor

BOISE PENROSE LAID AT REST

Secrecy Surrounds His Funeral.

Philadelphia Jan 5—The funeral of Senator Boise Penrose was held this morning The same great secrecy that surrounded the making of arrangements for the funeral was maintained until the body of the political leader was lowered into the brick lined grave in South Laurel Hill cemetery No information was forthcoming whether there were any religious services at the house or at the cemetery Newspaper reporters were not admitted to the burial ground

STRICTLY PRIVATE

The fact that the body of the senator would be buried today became known late yesterday when the bureau of vital statistics issued a permit for interment for January 5 or thereafter The immediate family of Senator Penrose who was a bachelor consists of 3 brothers No information was given out regarding the funeral beyond the brief obituary notice that the funeral be strictly private

Guards were stationed all around the place The funeral party was in the cemetery about 15 minutes and left before 9 a m

THE FINAL SCENE

This was enacted the final scene in the career of a man who could have had one of the largest funerals in the history of the city Political leaders from every county in the state came to Philadelphia within the last few days to do honor to the dead chieftain and not one was invited to the bachelor home of the senator where many political conferences have been held

FAMILY TRADITION

Questions had been asked why the family desired secrecy in the burial of the senator and the answer of close political friends was that Penrose hated pomp and ceremony and that it probably was his wish that he be buried as simply and with as little commotion as possible It is said to have been a tradition in the Penrose family which is one of the oldest in the city that all funerals of members be strictly private

STATE WITNESS SAYS BURCH SANE

Los Angeles Jan 5—Cross examination of Dr Thomas J Orbison alienist called by the state rebut testimony of defense mental experts that Arthur C Burch was insane if he killed J Belton Kennedy was expected to be resumed at Burch's trial here today

Dr Orbison already has undergone 3 hours of cross examination throughout which he maintained his original contention that Burch was not insane The witness said he had examined Burch five or six times

When I told Burch I could find no indication he was insane he seemed to resent it Dr Orbison testified

RED CROSS COURIER MAKES FIRST BOW

Washington Jan 5—The first issue of The Red Cross Courier a weekly newspaper established by the American Red Cross to replace its publications in various parts of the country appeared here today Among the charter subscribers is President Harding from whom a letter is reproduced on the cover

POWERS ADOPT NEW CHINESE TARIFF PLAN

Delegates From China Accept Underwood Report: Japan and Italy Accept Second Root Resolution.

[By the Associated Press]

Washington Jan 5—The agreement for an increase of Chinese tariff rates to an effective 5 per cent was adopted today by the nine conference powers sitting as a committee on Far Eastern questions

All of the eight powers approved the program for increasing Chinese revenues and the Chinese delegation accepted the report submitted by Senator Underwood chairman of the sub-committee

WITHDRAW TROOPS

The Far Eastern committee also adopted resolutions providing for eventual withdrawal of foreign troops from China Upon the request of China the resolutions provide the ministers at Peking of the 8 powers will meet with a committee of 3 Chinese to discuss the troop withdrawal question

NAVAL COMMITTEE CALLED

A meeting of the five powers of the naval committee of the arms conference was called for this afternoon It was considered possible that on the submarine regulation proposals and the draft of the naval treaty would be presented for approval to the meeting

Approval by all the powers having use of submarines was forecast prior to the meeting following the announcement that the Italian delegation had decided today to give its approval

SPROUL WILL NOT RESIGN FOR SENATE

Philadelphia Jan 5—Gov William C Sproul Wednesday announced that he would not resign to take the senatorship made vacant by the death of Senator Boies Penrose

"If I should ever desire to go to the United States Senate said the governor I shall submit my candidacy to the people of the state in the regular way through the processes of nomination and election

NAME SUCCESSOR SOON

Governor Sproul was expected today to name a successor to Senator Penrose within the next few days The senator to be appointed will serve until the candidate chosen at the November election is ready to qualify, Political leaders generally were of the opinion that Gov Sproul would be candidate for the unexpired term of Senator Penrose

TO OUST ARDMORE LOCAL OFFICIALS

Failure to Enforce Laws Is Cause.

Ardmore Okla Jan —Ouster proceedings were filed in district court here today by L J Fulton assistant attorney general against Buck Garrett sheriff of Carter county J H Langston mayor of Healton and Tom Bates city marshal and chief of police at Healton

MANY CHARGES

The petition against Sheriff Garrett contains four counts while that against the others contains three Garrett's removal is sought on charges of failure to enforce the prohibition laws failure to enforce the gambling laws assisting the defense in the case of the State vs Mrs Ernest Lord charged with assault on Mrs C A Casey by furnishing funds to pay the defendant's attorney's fees failure to enforce the law prohibiting the operation of immoral resorts

Charges against Langston and Bates are failure to enforce the prohibitory laws failure to enforce the gambling laws and failure to enforce the laws prohibiting the operation of immoral resorts

MYSTERY SURROUNDS BURCKHARDT DEATH

Impossible for Fall to Cause Injuries.

Cincinnati Jan 5—Investigation by detectives of every circumstance in connection with the mysterious death of Leopold Burckhardt years old in his apartment has failed to develop a clew to the murderer of the capitalist The police and Coroner Handley find themselves as far from solution of the case today as they were yesterday morning when the capitalist's body was found in the library his skull fractured in two places and bruises on his face

NOT FALL

Coroner Handley says it seems impossible that Burckhardt could have suffered such injuries by falling against the edge of a table or to the floor Mrs Emma Mather Burckhardt widow of the murdered man is reported to be on her way to Cincinnati from Miami Fla, where she had gone to spend the winter

HOLD EX-SOLDIER ON ARSON CHARGE

Quincy Ill Jan 5—William Brown aged 44 a volunteer of the World war was arrested at the Illinois Soldiers home here today by Deputy Fire Marshal A W Gruny charged with setting fire to the court house of Hardin county at Elizabethtown Brown denies the charge

It is alleged by the deputy fire marshal the court house was burned to hide a shortage in the books of one of the officials and that Brown was seen in company with one of them on the night of the fire Brown has served one term for arson

Shantung Now Only Problem

[By the Associated Press]

Washington Jan 5—With all other problems of the arms conference rapidly moving toward the point of final settlement the Shantung negotiations between the Japanese and Chinese delegations alone today presented a dubious aspect as to whether their resumption is to result in agreement or a final deadlock

While the Far Eastern committee of the whole met today to take action on the decision of its sub committee on the Chinese tariff question the two delegations faced another meeting in their effort to settle the controversy which has developed over the mode of payment for the Kiao-chow-Tsinanfu railroad in the former German leasehold

MAINTAIN POSITION

In the first meeting yesterday since the conversations were adjourned because of the deadlock over this issue there were no outward indications that either side had abandoned its former position on it

Evidence of revived hope in many quarters for an early settlement of the issue following yesterday's meeting was regarded as attributable in some measure to the subsequent statement issued by the two delegations that the discussions would be completed today It was stated by a spokesman of the Japanese delegation late last night that the discussions would be continued today although there was no official amendment to that effect

SHOW MORE DOCUMENTS

[By the Associated Press]

Washington D C January 5—Five additional documents were made public Wednesday by the delegation of the Far Eastern republic of China to show that the Japanese created their own Russian government that are in reality puppets in the hands of the Japanese Through these governments it was added the Japanese are able to control economically and politically the Russian Far East

ACCEPTS IN PRINCIPLE

[By the Associated Press]

Washington Jan 5—Japan has accepted in principle all the Root resolutions concerning the use of submarines Admiral Baron Kato announced

ITALY ACCEPTS

Italy has decided to accept the second Root resolution prohibiting attacks by submarines on merchant ships provided the French delegation does the same it was said in authoritative Italian circles This decision will make it possible to hold a session of the full naval committee today

Comforts of Home Mean Little to Learned Seekers of Fact

[By the Associated Press]

New York Jan 5—Comforts of home weigh little when cast in the balance with the interests of science it is declared by those in touch with museums and learned societies Expeditions have gone forth from the United States and foreign countries into the frozen Arctic the blistering areas of Africa and to the varying climes of Asia South America and other distant lands in quest of animal and vegetable specimens and data that will add to the knowledge of man

INTO THE UNKNOWN

Some of the explorations have not stopped with the earth according to those in charge For instance Conan Doyle recently claimed to have talked with his dead relatives and not a few wireless operators expressed belief that kindred souls somewhere on Mars were trying to get in touch with the folks down here

Among the expeditions now at work are

The third Asiatic expedition of the American Museum of natural history which is to remain five years in the Orient hopeful of finding the missing link" and sure of gathering a wealth of scientific data and having a lot of fun hunting antelopes in automobiles

MANY POLAR BEARS

The Stefanson expedition is mapping the little known boundaries of Wrangle's Island north of Siberia where polar bears are more numerous than anywhere else. This party of Americans and Esquimos expects to remain away two or three years, devoting considerable time to study of the Arctic

Donald B McMillan and his comrades are exploring Baffin's land where go touring Esquimo who want to see the Arctic first Their folk lore contains marvelous accounts of the sparkling icy mountains and fairies to be found there

HUNT GORILLAS

An expedition to hunt gorillas is trekking in Africa under the direction of Carl L Akeley of the American museum of natural history Recently he reported having bagged a family of five

The Mulford biological expedition which sailed for South America last June to be gone a couple of years expects to spend the coming months exploring the headwaters of the Amazon seeking Col Roosevelt's River of Doubt and gathering rare plants and herbs desired by chemists and the medical profession

CLIMB MOUNT EVEREST

The British expedition which climbed to within 6 000 feet of the world's highest summit the peak of Mount Everest in 1921 expects to go back and finish the job this year Minor expeditions are working in Peru Ecuador Bolivia and elsewhere most of them being American because Europe has little money for such enterprises

Nineteen twenty two of course will have the usual dash toward the North pole This time it is to be attempted by Roald Amundsen who is used to cold weather having spent many previous years in the Arctic He will set forth in the spring.

FIFTY DEAD IN SUB DISASTER

Exploding Torpedo Causes Wreck; Warships Are Damaged.

[By the Associated Press]

Athens Jan 5—Fifty bodies have been recovered from the Greek torpedo boat destroyer Leon anchored in the harbor of Piraeus which was wrecked yesterday by an explosion of a torpedo The explosion damaged nearby warships and caused houses ashore to collapse killing a number of the inhabitants

11 CORPORATIONS INDICTED AS TRUSTS

New York Jan 5—Indictments charging violation of the Sherman anti trust law have been returned by a federal grand jury against 11 corporations and 13 individuals alleged to have been members of a sewer pipe combine The indictments returned secretly several weeks ago were unsealed today

EGYPTIAN CRIME OFFICE HEAD SHOT

[By the Associated Press]

Cairo Egypt Jan 5—Badreldine Bey, controller of the Egyptian government crime department narrowly escaped assassination today at the hands of a youth believed to be a student The controller was seriously wounded by a revolver shot He returned the fire and pursued his assailant but the latter escaped

Badreldine Bey has been prominent in the prosecution of the vengeance gang an anti British organization seven of whose members were sentenced to death last year but had their sentences commuted

BURGLARS CARRY OFF 3 TON SAFE

Chicago Jan —Burglars raided the office of the H H Zaming Coal company at Naperville and carried away a three on safe on a motor truck When they blew it open they found one silver coin valued at 10 cents The cashier had taken $2 000 to the bank

FARM "BLOC" HEADS HOLD CONFERENCE

Washington Jan 5—Two leaders of the senate agricultural bloc Senators Kenyon of Iowa and Kapper of Kansas Republicans accompanied by Senator Kellogg Republican of Minnesota had a long conference today with President Harding The senators afterward said they had discussed legislative matters.

PATENT OFFICE IN BAD SHAPE

Claims Force Is Not Adequate.

Washington Jan 5—Conditions in the United States patent office resulting it was asserted from the inadequate rates of pay was the chief subject for discussion before the American Engineering council of the Federated American Engineering societies which convened here today for a two day session The council has voted to co-operate with other agencies in a nation wide campaign in behalf of reforms which it declares to be necessary for the protection of American industry and invention

GREEN MEN

Resignations among the examiners of the patent office according to Edwin J Prindle chairman of the council's patent committee have continued until now more than half of the force consists of young men fresh from college who have no knowledge whatever of general or patent law Twenty positions are unfilled he added because it has been impossible to get men qualified to pass the entrance examination who will accept the salary offered

WORK INCREASES

At the same time Mr Prindle declared the work of the patent office has increased by leaps and bounds

CROWDER DELAYS CUBAN DEPARTURE

Washington Jan 5—Major General Enoch Crowder special representative of the President in Cuba has postponed for several days his departure for the United States

It was said by officials today that the work of reducing Cuba's budget was progressing satisfactorily and that the finances of the island were expected to be in such shape soon that a loan in the United States would be sanctioned by this government

THREE PLY GRAND-DADDY NOW GASPS

Kansas City Mo Jan 5—Eugene Oaks of West Plains Mo, was seated by his fireside Tuesday night when his telephone rang A voice at the other end of the wire informed him that his daughter, Mrs Orpha Robinson had given birth to a baby girl

There was a confusion at his front door It was a messenger with a telegram reading Congratulations You're grandfather Your daughter Mrs Roy E Crone of Warrensburg Mo just gave birth to a son

Thirty minutes later Oaks again was aroused from his study by the telephone It was a long distance call from Grimmett Mo

Hello dad said a voice This is Oscar You're grandfather now My wife just gave birth to a daughter

Oaks barred the doors and cut the telephone wire.

The Weather

Chicago, Jan 5—Following are weather indications for Illinois

Fair tonight and Friday, colder tonight, rising temperature in west portion Friday afternoon

GENERAL FORECAST

[illegible]

LOCAL OBSERVATIONS

Following is the range of temperature as reported by J H Coon U S weather observer:

7 p m Wednesday	35
Highest Wednesday	56
7 a m Thursday	18
Noon Thursday	21
Lowest Thursday	1?
Sun rises (Standard time)	7.25
Sun sets	4 47

WEATHER MAP

Chicago Jan 5—The weather map at ... Canada North ... clear to 14 ... Northwest—4 above to 2 below partly cloudy St Paul ... Duluth 02 Moorhead trace West—below to 26 also generally cloudy Charles City 92 Chicago 34 Springfield Ill 104 and snowing Peoria ... and snowing Davenport 38 Dubuque ... and snowing Des Moines 41 Keokuk ... South ... cloudy St Louis ... Columbus ... and snowing Concordia 0 Ohio Valley—6 to 31 ... Cairo 18; Evansville ... Indianapolis ... Louisville, Cincinnati 42 Columbus 32

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$1.95 sq. yard, six feet wide, now $1.45
$2.50 sq. yard, six feet wide, now $1.95
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Extra heavy Blabon 6-foot wide printed linoleum, $1.25 quality, on sale at, yard ...95c

Special prices on 12-foot wide seamless inlaid and printed linoleums.

ALL LINOLEUM WILL BE LAID THE RIGHT WAY AND WITHOUT EXTRA CHARGE DURING THIS SALE.

—Third Floor

The January Sales of White

tell of notable savings

$6 Linen Damask for $4.95

It is 8-4 and all linen, regular $6 quality, in this sale specially priced at $4.95.

Napkins, 22x22 size, to match, specially priced at $6.39 the dozen.

$3 Linen Damask for $2.59 Yd.

Full bleached 72-inch all linen damask in an assortment of attractive patterns, $3 quality at **$2.59 yard.**

22x22 inch napkins to match at $6.95 the dozen.

$1 Mercerized Damask, 75c Yd.

A beautiful assortment of 64-inch mercerized damask, regular $1 qualities, January sale price, **75c yard.**

$1.50 mercerized damask, 72-inch, large assortment of patterns, in this sale at 95c the yard.

Dimity Bed Spread Sets, $4.50

All white, 81x90 sizes, with bolster cover to match, scalloped edges—an exceptional value at $4.50.

All blue, pink or yellow bed spread sets, scalloped and in the same sizes as above, $5 each.

$2.25 Pequot Sheets, $1.85

81x90 Sheets, made of fine Pequot sheeting, regular $2.25 qualities, sale price, **$1.85 each.**

Pillow Cases Priced Low

Fruit of the Loom pillow cases, 42-inch at 32c.

And the 45-inch cases are **34c each.**

Embroidered day pillow cases, hemstitched and scalloped, regularly priced at $2.95 are now **$1.95 the pair.**

—First Aisle, Main Floor

25 to 40% Saved on *Draperies, Curtains*

January shoppers who are out to REALLY SAVE must not overlook Linn's sale. Here Sunfast draperies, Quaker Nets, Imported and Domestic Materials and Cretonnes are more than reduced in price—WE MAKE YOUR PURCHASES UP JUST THE WAY YOU WANT THEM WITHOUT EXTRA CHARGE.

Extra Special Event

Marquisette and Voile Curtains at Half Price

Cream, white and ecru colorings; hemstitched hems filet and cluny insertions and edges, all 2½ yards long. The prices now read like this:

$6 pair curtains now $2.85 pair
$5 pair curtains now $2.35 pair.
$2.50 pair curtains—$1.25 pair.
$1.50 the pair Scrim Curtains, pretty lace edges, are now 69c pr.

The Free-Making Offer

The free making offer places at your disposal the finest workmen in central Illinois and the experience of one of the most artistic interior decorators in the country. Your only cost will be the material at January prices.

—Third Floor

These Corsets Save You 1-2

They are not out of style, rather they are very late models, but are what is left of the season's selling—odds and ends of sizes that were formerly priced up to $10, sizes 25 to 32—pair **$5**

And Brassieres That Save About a Third.

True, these offerings are from odd lots but they still retain all the quality they had at regular prices. There are sizes up to 46 that will sell like this:

$1.50 brassieres for 98c.
$1.00 brassieres for 79c.
85c brassieres for 59c.

—Second Floor, West

Glove Silk Vests

One-Third Less

Friday and Saturday, only, will you be offered this opportunity—beautiful glove silk vests in plain or fancy lace and ribbon trimmed models that were formerly priced at $1.25 to $7 each — at ONE-THIRD OFF.

These are not usually found in clearance sales — vests of this character do not need to be reduced in price to sell them, but in this case we have only a few left, that we do not care to invoice. Note that you can get a $7 vest for $4.66, or a $1.25 vest for $2.83.

—Main Floor, Fourth Aisle

Toilets Priced Low Now

For the January shopper we have a stock of Coty's L'Origan face powder in all shades, at 59c the box—but not more than two boxes to a customer.

And 50c vials of Coty's L'Origan, Styx, Ambre Antique, Jac Rose, Chypre perfumes, for 35c the vial.

—Main Aisle Main Floor

175 Dresses to Choose From at Savings Ranging 25 to 50 Per Cent

Street Dresses and Business Dresses; Afternoon Dresses; Dinner Dresses; Evening and Party Dresses.

No matter what type of dress you are looking for, that dress will be found in this wonderful collection of strictly high-grade garments at very tempting reductions.

At $9

Misses' wool school frocks, formerly priced $10.95 to $19.50.

At $14

Women's and misses' cloth dresses formerly priced $19.50 to $29.50.

At $24

Silk and cloth dresses that were formerly priced $35.00 to $49.50.

At $34

Cloth, silk and velvet dresses, formerly priced $39.50 to $59.50.

At $44

Cloth, silk and velvet dresses formerly priced $49.50 to $75.

At $54

Cloth, silk and velvet dresses formerly priced at $65 to $85.

The Waist Clearance—

Represents Savings of 25 to 50 Per Cent:

At $2.95

Plain tailored and beaded Georgette waists, dark colors, were $3.95 to $5.

At $4.45

Lot consists of navy, brown and black tricolette overblouses, were $5.95.

At $5

Georgette and crepe de chine blouses, light and dark colors, were $5.95 to $7.95.

At $7

Fine Georgette and crepe de chine blouses, light and dark colors, were $10.95 to $19.50.

All Plush and Cloth Coats now reduced to January Clearance Prices; a few more Suits left—at LESS THAN HALF PRICE; Final Clearance Prices on all Fur Coats, Scarfs, Chokers, and Muffs—HURRY if you want to participate in these remarkable savings.

Up to $2.39 Dresser Scarfs 98c Each

A lot that consists of models prettily embroidered in colors and models of solid filet lace and lace trimmed, that sold regularly at $1.75 to $2.39 each. Choice at **98c each.**

$3.69 All Lace Scarfs for $1.49

This lot of dresser scarfs are fashioned of lace, some with cretonne centers —all lovely qualities that were priced up to $3.69 each—sale price **$1.49 each.**

—Main Floor, East Aisle

Save 20% On Luggage

Our entire stock of fine traveling bags, suit cases—everything we have in our stock. There is a size here to meet your need that will save you one fifth.

Regulation mailing size Parcel Post Laundry Cases with good quality colored canvas cover, are fine values at **$2 each.**

—Main Floor, North Aisle

These Scarfs Save You 1-3

All of our wool scarfs, silk scarfs and marabous are in the January clearance at One-Third off. It is particularly interesting to note that silk scarfs are at the reduced price, and women who are familiar with style forecasts will take advantage of the sale prices to secure one, because they are to be very good for spring. Regular prices are from $3.50 to $16.95—now ONE-THIRD LESS.

White organdy banding, embroidered in dainty colors, and very attractive for collar and cuff sets—69c yard.

Lovely ecru lace scallops for the round neck line are specially priced at **$1.25** the yard.

—Main Floor, Third Aisle

Save 30% on Footwear

Black Satin Pumps

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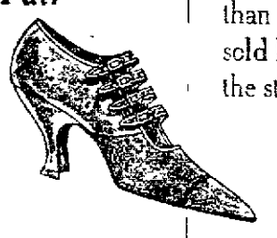

This pretty pump is one of the most popular models now being sold—there's really no reason for making a special price any more than that they must be sold like all the rest of the stock before inventory. So this price is now in your favor.

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Save 20 Per Cent on Household Needs

If you have never made the acquaintance of the meaning of a 20% Discount saving at Linn's, there never was a better time than now, while the January Clearance Sales offer the likes of these:

DINNERWARE

A large number of patterns of open stock dinnerware, from the cheapest varieties that are good, to the fine Bavarian china, you can save 20 per cent of the former price.

CUT GLASS

At 20 Per Cent Off permits you to make selections from the finest cut glass manufactured—the LIBBY engraved trade mark line, as well as cut glass of lesser value but very worthy.

FANCY CHINA

The delight of every home maker, attractive pieces of fancy china that add certain qualities of exceptional taste to any table setting. Unlimited selection at 20 Per Cent Less.

PYREX COOKING GLASS

The sanitary, labor saving utility that every home will eventually have in complete sets, is another unusual offering in our January Clearance sales at 20 per cent off.

ALL POTTERY

At 20 Per Cent Less. What is the style of your home; what color scheme have you worked out, or have you a very special, or quaint idea that needs a finishing touch? POTTERY.

ELECTRIC LAMPS

One of the finest lines we have ever had in stock—now 20 Per Cent Off. And since the first of the year the tax has been removed—an added savings. Many styles are awaiting you..

Save 30% on Footwear

Nature Arch Oxford

was $10 the pair now—

$6.95

Has a particular invitation for women who are on their feet a great deal. They are perfect, built on a comfortable yet stylish last and graced with a stylish Cuban heel. You are getting an exceptional value in this model.

—Second Floor, South

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DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

KEEPING A RESOLUTION. By ALLMAN

GENERAL MEETING OF WOMAN'S CLUB

Pana Organization in Session Friday Night.

Pana, Jan. 5.—The general meeting of the Pana Woman's club will be held Friday evening at 7:30 at the home of Mrs. Bush on East Second street. Envoy Shields of the local Salvation Army corps will be present and will give a talk on the work of that organization.

Mrs. C. J. Vogelsang, who has had experience in the Y. W. C. A. work, also will give a talk on this subject and the Young Woman's League at the University of Illinois, which has a membership of 12,000 members. It is a part of the Woman's Federated Clubs of Illinois. Miss Welty, of English department of the Pana township high school, will give two readings.

The Girls' chorus of the High School Glee club will give two numbers under the leadership of Mrs. Jennie Long.

DOLLAR DAY.

Pana and the entire community around here is to have a Dollar Day. That is the verdict of the Business Men's club which met at the Flint Hotel Tuesday night. The date is set for Saturday, Jan. 14, and on that day every merchant and business man in the city will have some real bargains in their stores for one dollar.

TRIBUTE TO McQUIGG.

Out of respect to the late Hon. J. E. McQuigg, one of this city's best loved and well known lawyers and citizens, the business men of the city closed their stores and places of business during the hour of his funeral Thursday. The stores closed at 1:30 and remained so until about 3:15.

The funeral services were held from the First Presbyterian church, with Rev. W. R. Meeker officiating. The interment was made at the East Linwood cemetery. The casket bearers were close friends of the deceased and the family and also members of the bar association. They were Judge J. H. Fornoff, of the Pana city court; Attorneys John E. Hogan of Taylorville, John W. Preihs, Carl Preihs and Guy L. Smith of Pana and City Attorney C. J. Vogelsang of Pana.

The honorary casketbearers were Former Mayor H. M. Schuyler, Col. F. M. Malone, Julius Broehl, C. N. Eichenberger, Samuel C. Wagener and J. E. Reese.

Members of the Bar Association of the state, of Christian county and Pana city court attended in a body.

Many high tributes were paid to the memory of the beloved citizen who stood so high in the business, social, political and professional life of the state and city. The local newspaper carried several columns of tributes which prominent citizens wished to be made public.

MRS. PHILLIPS BURIED.

The funeral services of the late Mrs. Mary Phillips was held at ten o'clock Thursday morning at St. Patrick's church, Rev. Fr. J. P. Meroney officiating. Mrs. Phillips died at the Huber Memorial hospital late Tuesday morning.

Some fifty members of the Painters, Decorators' and Paperhangers' union of this city enjoyed a banquet at the Frances Hotel Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. A splendid program was carried out including a number of splendid toasts, musical numbers. The principal address of the evening was made by Will F. Jordan on "The Solidarity of Labor."

Pope Woman's Relief Corps, No. 190, auxiliary to the Grand Army of the Republic, met in regular session at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon. There was a splendid attendance. On Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock there will be installation of officers. All members and the Grand Army Veterans and their families are invited to attend this work.

The Fidelis class of the First Baptist church will meet in the church parlors Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mills of South State street are the parents of a son born Wednesday, Jan. 4, 1922.

The ... club met at the Frances hotel at 6:30 o'clock Wednesday evening.

Miss Helen Yenck's Sewing Division of the Huber Memorial hospital auxiliary met Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. There was a splendid attendance and much work was accomplished.

Many of the automobiles in this city are showing their 1922 automobile licenses. The plates are much smaller this year, but very attractive.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church will meet at the home of Mrs. Mary Warren Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with Mrs. Bickle as leader.

BUSINESS MEN MEET.

The Pana Business Men's Association met at the Flint hotel Wednesday evening in their regular session, opening with a banquet at 6:30. A call meeting will be held Jan. 17.

In the election of the new officers Ralph Carp was elected president and William Schlotz secretary and treasurer for the ensuing term.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the local Elks lodge met in their regular meeting on Wednesday afternoon.

OREANA.

Mrs. Frank Ayres of St. Joseph, Mo., has been visiting with relatives here.

P. Bullock of Brownsburg, Ind., visited with relatives here last week.

Mrs. Anna Dunn of Appleton City, Mo., came Friday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. E. McKinley.

Miss Leona Bowman of Chicago spent several days of last week with M. F. Boyer and family.

Miss Fern Wert, living one and one-half miles northwest of town, has diptheria.

Mr. and Mrs. George Denning of Argenta visited with James Daily and family the latter part of last week.

J. McNally, who with his wife has been visiting with relatives here, left Monday for St. Louis, where he will spend several days. Mrs. Nally went to Sullivan Tuesday for several days' visit with relatives before returning to Mt. Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Waller, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waller and daughter, Martha Margaret were Sunday guests of W. P. Waller and family.

Miss Lowe of Decatur spent Sunday with Miss Martha Oldweiler.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Moothart entertained a number of their friends at their home a half mile east of town Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Cooper entertained a number of young people at their home in Oreana Thursday evening. Misses Nell Montgomery and Florence Spooner and Herman Noble of Decatur were out-of-town guests.

ODD NILES TAKEN TO PENITENTIARY

Charleston, Jan. 5.—Sheriff Vincent Aye left Wednesday for Chester, taking Odd Niles to the penitentiary to serve a sentence for perjury, of which he was convicted in the Mattoon city court in a case involving the theft of automobiles. Upon conviction in the lower court, Niles took an appeal, but the verdict of the jury in the circuit court was upheld and Niles surrendered himself to the sheriff.

Niles also is wanted in Sullivan, where he is under indictment on a charge of assault with intent to kill, growing out of the pistol battle with the sheriff's posse near Gays a few months ago, in which Niles is said to have participated.

Piles

Can't Be Cured from the Outside.

External treatments seldom cure Piles.

Nor do surgical operations.

The cause is inside—bad circulation.

The blood is stagnant, the veins flabby.

The bowel walls are weak, the parts almost dead.

To quickly and safely rid yourself of piles you must free the circulation—send a fresh current through the stagnant pools. Internal treatment is the one safe method. Ointments and cutting won't do it.

J. S. Leonhardt, M. D., a specialist, set at work some years ago to find a real internal remedy for piles. He succeeded. He named his prescription HEM-ROID, and tried it in 1,000 cases before he was satisfied. Now HEM-ROID is sold by druggists everywhere under guarantee. It is a harmless tablet, easy to take, and can always be found at Decatur Drug Company and druggists everywhere, who will gladly refund the purchase price to any dissatisfied customer.

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Week End Specials In Our January Clearance Sale

Plush Coats, Self Trimmed

These are short models of excellent style, self trimmed with good linings and well finished. There are both the loose back and belted models .... *Special Choice* **$15**

Wool Jersey Dresses $22.50 Values

In navy or brown, either in a plain, straight line model or a two-piece blouse effect. Excellent school dresses and in misses' sizes. A real bargain **$10**

Coats For Girls $15.00 Values

12 and 14-year sizes in good navy cheviot, some lined with the gayest of red flannel. They're so warm for school and knock-about wear. **$7.50**

Fur Chokers $15.00 Values

Of mink, squirrel, stone, opossum, or brown opossum. This is a genuine buying opportunity. **$10**

Wool Skirts, Up to $12.95 Values

Of really all-wool materials, in both plaids and stripes. This is one of the greatest values we have ever offered. **$5.00**

Odd Waists Up to $10.00

In pongees, georgettes and crepe de chines in many different colorings and styles. Better not miss this.

$2.95 to $5

Cotton Petticoats $2.95 Values

Cotton petticoats in pretty flowered effects of Websterleen and flounced with taffeta. Here's the chance to get a bargain petticoat. **$1.50**

We Stop Falling Hair in 2 Weeks

Grow New Hair Within 90 Days—or Your Money Refunded This New Way

Science discovers falling, lustreless hair due to simple infection (Sebum). Now quickly overcomes it. Hair actually grown on 91 heads in 100!

This is to offer you new hair—lustrous, beautiful, attractive—or money refunded.

It offers, too, to stop falling hair in 2 weeks.

If we fail, the treatment costs you nothing. Your own druggist signs the guarantee. Hence you assume no risk.

Thousands of women have made this test. Results are amazing. The charm of wonderful hair is now available to any one who chooses to have it.

Why 6 Women in 8 Have Dull, Unattractive Hair

Science has recently made amazing discoveries. It is now known that hair roots seldom die. They can be revived—given new life.

We have proved that conclusively by growing hair on 91 heads in 100.

The method we use is new. Years of exhaustive laboratory experiments were spent perfecting it.

Now world-great dermatologists employ these ingredients. Many charge $500 for the same basic treatment.

Falling hair, dull, lifeless hair; hair without sheen or lustre—6 women in 8 have it.

The reason is a very simple infection. An infected scalp oil called Sebum. This new way quickly overcomes it. It starts to act instantly. The effect is soon marked.

The Infected Sebum in Your Hair

Sebum is an oil. It forms at the follicles of the hair. Its natural function is to supply the hair with oil.

But frequently it becomes infected. It cakes on the scalp; clogs the follicles and plugs them. Go to the mirror and you can see it in your hair, either in the form of dandruff or in that of an oily excretion at the hair roots.

Germs by the millions breed in it, then feed upon the hair. Soon your hair begins falling. You note too how lifeless it appears. In a short time, all the natural lustre and beauty are gone.

But—and note this scientific fact—remove the Sebum and the hair reverts back to the softness and brilliancy it displayed when you were a school girl.

The Van Ess treatment accomplishes that result. We know you will doubt it. So we guarantee it.

New hair grown in 90 days. Falling hair stopped in two weeks. Your own druggist gives you our guarantee to do these things. He signs it. If we fail, your money will be refunded *without argument.*

We urge you to give this new way a fair trial. It is folly not to test it; for remember, you take no risk.

Go to any druggist or department store today. Ask for the Van Ess Liquid Scalp Massage. Written guarantee accompanies it.

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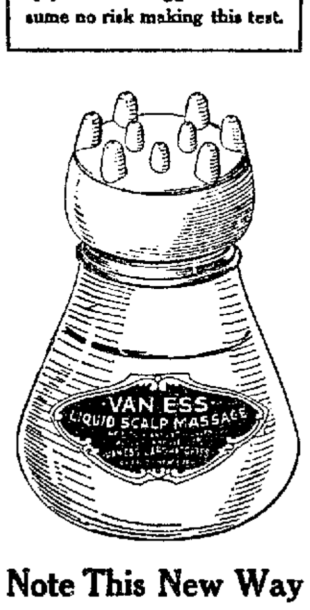
Pay Nothing

Unless we grow hair. The Van Ess treatment is absolutely guaranteed. You are the sole judge. *The warrant is signed by your own druggist.* You assume no risk making this test.



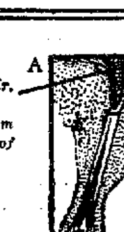
Note This New Way

—It Massages the Treatment Directly into the Follicles of the Hair

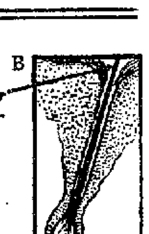
You can see from illustration that Van Ess is not a "tonic." It combines a massage and lotion in one treatment. You do not rub it in with your fingers. Each package comes with a rubber massage cap. The nipples are hollow. Just invert bottle, rub your head, and nipples automatically feed lotion down into follicles of the scalp where it can do some good. At the same time the nipples give your head a massage.

It is very easy to apply. One minute each day is enough.

VAN ESS Liquid Scalp Massage



These two pictures show a cross section of the hair root or bulb and the case which encloses each hair from the root to surface of scalp (greatly magnified). Germ infected Sebum causes 95% of baldness and falling hair. Remove it and hair will grow. Illustration (A) shows Sebum infected hair and (B) healthy hair.



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He Will Be at the Orlando Hotel, Decatur, Thursday and Friday, January, 5th and 6th.
(HOURS 9 a. m. to 8 p. m. EACH DAY)

READ ABOUT SOME OF THE REMARKABLE CASES AND CALL AND LET HIM GIVE YOU ONE TREATMENT FREE.

Dr. Oneal has been making regular visits to Decatur for about five years and has been treating patients all over Central Illinois for about twenty years. He now asks his patients and friends to send word to everybody of this visit. Give them a chance to call and get Dr. Oneal's opinion about their case. All of Dr. Oneal's patients know that he does not treat any cases unless he feels sure he can help them. He tells you frankly the truth as near as he can, and gives you one treatment free to prove what he says. During his visits here he has successfully treated very bad cases of failing eyesight, inflammation, granulated lids, scums, ulcers and growths on the eyes, floating spots, etc. He has restored hearing to many who were deaf, and relieved them of catarrh and head noises. He removes adenoids in children and straightens cross-eyes in one visit without pain or danger. Every case of catarrh is curable if properly treated, both locally and constitutionally. Medicine must be taken internally to get it out of the system. Catarrh often causes stomach troubles, rheumatism, neuralgia, polypus, tumors in nose and throat, diseased tonsils and many other diseased conditions. If one has catarrh he is always taking cold easily, and if you are deaf or hard of hearing you are worse when you have a cold, and it leaves you worse afterwards. Most cases of diseased and enlarged tonsils can be successfully treated by Dr. Oneal's non-surgical method. Do not have your nose or throat operated on without seeing Dr. Oneal first. An operation may not be necessary.

Mrs. D. R. Beckman of Newman, Ill., cured of head noises, deafness, severe pains and headaches.

Many people do not realize that Dr. Oneal can straighten cross eyes in two or three minutes without pain. If you doubt this you can see or write to Mrs. Hexamer, Secor, Ill., and others.

Six-Year-Old Boy's Eyes Straightened.

Dr. Oneal: You remember we had our boy, Byron, at your office, August 2nd, 1920, to have his eyes straightened. They are in fine shape, and we surely are thankful we learned to know of you and your ability.

Rev. O. P. Haines,
Formerly of Cerro Gordo, Ill.

His Deafness Cured.

Flanagan, Ill., Feb. 21, 1921.

Dear Dr. Oneal:

I received your letter in which you requested me to write a few words regarding the results I got from the treatment you gave me. I will be glad to send you a few words which are as follows:

I was afflicted with head noises and almost deaf. In one ear I could not hear anything at all. I consulted several doctors but none seemed to help me. I heard about Dr. Oneal and one of my friends was cured so I tried a treatment and was cured. I can hear as good as ever now and have had no head noises since.

Yours truly,
HENRY ACKERMAN.

P. S.—My address has been changed from Chenoa, Ill., to Flanagan, Ill.

CROSS EYES

Straightened

In a Few Minutes, Without Pain or Danger.

Have your children's eyes straightened and adenoids removed now for a reasonable fee.

Dr. Oneal invites everyone suffering with any eye or ear trouble to call on him at the Orlando Hotel for a free examination, and if he thinks he can help you he will give you one treatment free of charge to show you what it is like—how it may help you. You will be under no obligation to continue the treatment nor to pay any money unless you wish to do so. Many cases obtain immediate relief with Dr. Oneal's treatment. Take the elevator or stairway to Dr. Oneal's rooms on second floor at the Orlando Hotel. For further information address Dr. Oren Oneal, 177 North State St., Chicago.

Fine for Lumbago

Musterole drives pain away and brings in its place delicious, soothing comfort. Just rub it in gently.

It is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. It will not blister like the old-fashioned mustard plaster.

Get Musterole today at your drug store. 35c and 65c in jars and tubes; hospital size, $3.00.

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NOTHING is more annoying, after working all day long than to go to bed at night and cough and cough and cough. It takes all the pep out of a man—doesn't it?

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MRS. M'MILLAN IS DEAD NEAR LANE

Death Follows Illness of Several Weeks.

Clinton Jan. 5—The death of Mrs Frank McMillan occurred at the family home on the Lee Thompson farm near Lane Wednesday evening at 6.30 o'clock following an illness of several weeks due to complications. The body was taken to the Oakman undertaking parlors where it will remain and where funeral services will be held although definite arrangements have not yet been made.

Mayme Owens was born in Clinton Ill Aug. 18 1870 and on Oct. 20, 1891 she was united in marriage to Frank McMillan at Chicago. Three children were born to them—Helen, aged 18, Joan aged 17 and Dorothy, aged 1[illegible] who, with the husband survive. She is also survived by two sisters—Mrs Emma Clark of Kansas City Mo and Mrs Ada Halvey of Chicago.

Deceased was a graduate of the Clinton community high school and, after teaching in the Dewitt county schools for a few years went to Chicago to make her home and to take up other work. The daughter, Helen, is now a student at [illegible] high school.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Puritan Products company, held in their offices at [illegible] East Washington Street Wednesday, the following directors were elected for this year H W Sawyer, H. S. Gowdy, Perry Hughes W K Parker, E M Stone Edward George George Hughes H A Moore and B I Shambrook.

The directors then elected the following officers President George Hughes vice president H M Gowdy secretary R M Shambrook secretary-general manager E M Stone.

COURT NOTES

The September term of circuit court in session for twenty-one days was adjourned by Judge George A Sentel Wednesday. For the January term [illegible] embraced thirty five [illegible] and eighteen common law cases.

In the case of Orval Sprague versus H H Barnett the court on Wednesday [illegible] the jury [illegible] returned a verdict [illegible] of the defendant.

A cross bill in the case of Patrick Foley against [illegible] Foley was filed by [illegible] M [illegible] acting for Mrs Foley.

An [illegible] case of [illegible] versus [illegible] of Clinton and Mrs Gertrude [illegible] in the circuit [illegible] Wednesday.

Judgment by confession was taken in the county court in favor of Ada Rhoades against Charles Anderson [illegible] was brought on a note.

Letters of administration have been issued [illegible] W C Zoll in the estate of his wife the late Mary C Z[illegible].

GRACE WELKER WEDS

Announcement of the marriage of Miss Grace Welker former Clinton [illegible] now residing in Portland to Grant Hodges [illegible] which took place Dec 19 was received by friends in Clinton Wednesday.

Mrs Hodges moved to Portland about four years ago.

MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

The marriage of Miss [illegible] and [illegible] Hand [illegible] of Clinton which took place [illegible] on last [illegible] was announced by the couple Wednesday. The ceremony took place in the office of Justice of the Peace A [illegible].

[illegible] is the daughter of Mrs Al[illegible] North George street and the bridegroom is the son of H E Hand [illegible]. The couple will reside in Clinton.

PARENT-TEACHERS MEETING.

[illegible] Parent Teachers meeting will be held [illegible] community high school [illegible] evening at which time a program [illegible] given consisting of folk [illegible] and music and there will be several [illegible] by various members. The program is in charge of members of the faculty Misses [illegible] Gregory and G[illegible].

PLEASANTLY SURPRISED

Mrs Thomas Hewitt who is to leave within the next [illegible] for Hammond Ind to make her home was pleasantly surprised by members of the Ladies Auxiliary to the Machinist's organization at the home of Mrs Della Angerer, East Johnson street Tuesday evening.

Following the serving of a two course luncheon Mrs Hewitt was presented with an opal bar pin.

INSTALL OFFICERS

The members of the W R C met in the Library club rooms Wednesday evening and installed their new officers for the year with Mrs Myrtle Phares acting as installing officer. A program of readings and musical numbers together with several short talks was followed by the serving of an elaborate dinner.

New officers of the Castle Rest Lodge No 1[illegible] L S to the B of L F & E installed their recently elected officers at the Firemen's hall Wednesday afternoon. Following the work a two course lunch[illegible] was served.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS

The following property transfers have been recorded in the last few days:

Frankie Bowers to Weldon Ward lot 7 blk 5 Sunnys 1e addition to Clinton consideration $[illegible]

William Carter to Wilbur Carter south west ¼ southeast ¼ section 2[illegible] 21 3, consideration $600

Letha Donelley to H M Rees commencing 1.8 feet off east side of northwest corner outblock 20, Clinton consideration $500

George Dean and wife to Tee Fosnaugh lot 5 blk 36 Lane first addition to Lane consideration $200

James Gelthorpe to Joseph Yeake original town of Waynesville consideration $1000

BEMENT RESIDENT DIED WEDNESDAY

Funeral of J. W. Brandenbury Friday.

Bement Jan 5—Funeral services for James W Brandenburg who died at 3 o'clock Wednesday morning will be held at 10 30 o'clock Friday morning in the Methodist church. They will be in charge of the I O O F [illegible] with K of P escort.

Mr Brandenburg [illegible] his old he was a retired farmer.

He died of [illegible] of diseases and had been [illegible] the last three months.

Mr Brandenburg was born March 2 1860 near Milmine where he lived until after his marriage to Miss [illegible] He [illegible] Bement. For the last twelve years he has resided in Bement having been interested in the [illegible] business.

Besides his [illegible] he leaves a daughter of Bement four brothers David Alvin and William all of Kansas [illegible] Sam of Milmine [illegible] Mrs Charles Naylor and Mrs [illegible] of Milmine.

MECHANICSBURG.

Mr [illegible] was [illegible] New Year's dinner [illegible] Saturday.

Albert Bullner [illegible] a family of friends at a New Year's party Saturday night.

The [illegible] New [illegible] the Buffalo hall Saturday night. About 100 members and guests were present. Refreshments were served.

Mrs Malissa Grooms gave a party for her brother Lewis Crane Monday night.

A dance was given at the William Harmon hall here Monday night. About forty were present.

P L Hall has moved to the home of William Armstrong.

The Woman's club held its meeting at the I O O F hall Monday afternoon. Mrs Grace Tobdill was a new member. An interesting program was given.

Mrs Cathrine [illegible] was hostess to the C W P M W Tuesday afternoon. Mrs Grace Tobdill had charge of the program. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

The Pauline club women gave a New Year's party at the home of Truman Fu[illegible] Thursday night. A supper was served to the women to their husbands and guests.

Mr and Mrs Cresse Madlox and children Marion and Cresse of Springfield spent the week end with Mr and Mrs Alvey Yeamans Jr.

Mrs George Blinker [illegible] is visiting Mrs John McK[illegible] at [illegible].

Misses Mary Richardson of Madison Wis and [illegible] Richardson of Decatur have been visiting their sister Mrs Eu[illegible].

Mr and Mrs W H Chapman and [illegible] spent New Years at the home of [illegible] and Mrs E P [illegible].

Mr and Mrs George Blan[illegible] and Mrs Mattie Moore spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs O S [illegible].

TAKES FIRST 1922 BUILDING PERMIT

Mrs. Mary J. Lyons to Put up Brick Building.

Mrs Mary J Lyons has the honor of taking out the first building permit in 1922. She will put up a brick business building at 53 West Green street to take the place of the frame building partially destroyed by fire. It will cost $2 500.

POUND LOAF IS BACK TO 5 CENTS

Chicago Jan 5—A sixteen ounce loaf of bread for 5 cents has been announced for next week by a State street store. This is just one half the price for which this size loaf of bread has been selling since pre war days.

The big bakery companies said they could not sell the sixteen ounce loaf for less than 10 cents. Several stores which are selling the large sized loaf for 7 cents said they could make no further reductions in the price.

It seems the one store selling for 5 cents will be alone in its venture for a time. Whether the continued sale of bread at the 5 cent price will finally force others down is a matter of speculation. A New York firm is selling a fourteen ounce loaf for 5 cents.

SUPERVISOR OF NIANTIC IS DEAD

Daniel W. Moore Yields to Pneumonia.

Niantic Jan 5—Daniel W Moore, supervisor of Niantic township, died at his home a mile north of this place at 9 [illegible] Wednesday night. His death was due to pneumonia from which he suffered only a week.

Mr Moore was born in Antrim Antrim county Iowa, March 17, 1847 and came to this community in 18[illegible]. He married Sarah Cupples January 10 1883, and she, with five sons and two daughters survives him. The sons are Robert William Lennie, Ray and Walter. The latter lives at home while the others are married and live in this vicinity. The daughters are Mrs Lizzie Black of Niantic and Mrs Mary Pinkerton of Coulterville. Surviving also are three brothers and one sister, William and Hugh Moore of Niantic, Thomas Moore of Holdredge Neb and Mrs Ellen Cumpl[illegible] of Niantic.

Mr Moore has occupied a leading place in the community, and at the time of his death was serving his third term as supervisor of Niantic township. He was a member of the Methodist church.

LOVINGTON TUESDAY CLUB ENTERTAINED

Lovington Jan 5—Mrs Emery Foster entertained the members of the Tuesday club at her home west of Lovington Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs C H Dalton and baby on returned Tuesday from Clay City, Ind where they had been visiting the last two weeks.

MOVE TO DECATUR

Mr and Mrs Claude H Lee and daughter Pauline left Tuesday for Decatur, where they will make their home.

Emery Wacaser returned Wednesday to Chadwick where he will resume his work as superintendent of the Chadwick School.

Born to Mr and Mrs James Simpson Sunday Jan 1, a son.

Mrs Alice Dyer returned Tuesday from Decatur where she had been the last several days visiting relatives.

Mrs F V Purwell and daughter Wilma of Decatur returned Monday to their home after a week's visit here with Mrs Purwell's parents Mr and Mrs W R Hesler.

Little daughter of Mr and Mrs Joy Dixon is confined to her home with illness.

W M Minter and family returned Tuesday from Petersburg, Ind, where they have been visiting the last week.

Mrs Anna Gray of near Cerro Gordo and Mrs Nettie Morris of Gillespie have been called here by the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. Mary Greer.

Miss Pearl Scoggs has returned to Monticello to resume her work in the Monticello community high school.

Miss Dorothy Jeffries of Dwight has been here visiting Mr. and Mrs F. W. Wacaser and family.

ENTERTAINMENT

The Walmsley Sisters gave a splendid entertainment at the township high school Tuesday evening for the benefit of the Ladies Aid of the Methodist Church. They gave an evenings entertainment of music both instrumental and vocal, and readings.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardin Sullivan have returned to their home in Guymon, Okla, after a two weeks' visit here with Lovington friends.

COUNTERFEIT PAPER MOST IN HISTORY

Washington, Jan. 5—Counterfeits of paper money during the last year or two, W. H. Moran, chief of the secret service, recently informed the House appropriations committee, have been more numerous than at any time in the history of the service. A transcript of Mr Moran's testimony, made public Wednesday showed that as a rule he considered the work extremely poor" and reported that not many of the counterfeit notes were put into circulation.

When Nerves Are Unstrung

And You Cannot Sleep or Rest, Let Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer Quiet You Down Without Dope of Any Kind.

When the nerves seem to have gone to pieces you jump at the slightest noise, the pulse is rapid, you cannot rest sleep is broken, the mind thinks too fast, you crave something to give you freedom from a myriad of torments. This may result from what is eaten, from excesses of any kind, from chronic constipation or any one of a variety of causes. But the nervousness, the loss of sleep, the mind racked by wandering thoughts and fantastic dreams these are effects that must be soothed and quieted down before the system can right itself.

Such a condition needs Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer and the relief will be prompt and grateful. It will let you down so easily so quietly, so gently and you rest and sleep so peacefully that your nerves recover safely and with no after effects.

The reason why this wonderfully successful vitalizer is so highly recommended is because it does not contain dope narcotics or harmful drugs. It has been in effective use for thirty years.

$1 10 per bottle at drug stores or by prepaid express. SAMPLE bottle for ten cents to help pay cost of mailing. Address The J. W. Brant Co. Dept C Albion Mich.

Father John's Medicine

Best for Colds

Bronchitis, Asthma and all throat troubles. Builds new Strength.

NO DANGEROUS DRUGS GUARANTEED.

Kidney Troubles

Conquered or Money Back

For 40 years, says Dr. Carey, I have been prescribing Marsh-Root for Kidney and Bladder sickness on the money back if dissatisfied plan.

If you are tired, miserable, tortured with nagging backache, lameness acute, darting pains; subject to dizziness, headaches, sallow skin, puffiness under your eyes, a tendency to rheumatic pains and Bladder disorders, look to your kidneys. Don't wait. Get your health back while you can. Drink lots of good pure water and start at once taking Dr. Carey's Marsh-Root prescription No. 777, Liquid or Tablets. It has wonderfully benefited tens of thousands. Results guaranteed. Recommended and sold by Decatur Drug Co., and all druggists. Insist on genuine.

GAS IN THE STOMACH IS DANGEROUS

Recommends Daily Use of Magnesia to Overcome Trouble, Caused by Fermenting Food and Acid Indigestion.

Gas and wind in the stomach accompanied by that full, bloated feeling after eating are almost certain evidence of the presence of excessive hydrochloric acid in the stomach, creating so called "acid indigestion.

Acid stomachs are dangerous because too much acid irritates the delicate lining of the stomach, often leading to gastritis accompanied by serious stomach ulcers. Food ferments and sours, creating the distressing gas which distends the stomach and hampers the normal functions of the vital internal organs often affecting the heart.

It is the worst of folly to neglect such a serious condition or to treat with ordinary digestive aids which have no neutralizing effect on the stomach acids. Instead get from any druggist a few ounces of Bisurated Magnesia and take a teaspoonful in a quarter glass of water right after eating. This will drive the gas, wind and bloat right out of the body, sweeten the stomach, neutralize the excess acid and prevent its formation and there is no sourness or pain. Bisurated Magnesia (in powder or tablet form—never liquid or milk) is harmless to the stomach inexpensive to take and the best form of magnesia for stomach purposes. It is used by thousands of people who enjoy their meals with no more fear of indigestion.

PISO'S

SAFE AND SANE for Coughs & Colds

This syrup is different from all others. Quick relief. No opiates. 35c everywhere

Try The Drug Store First

The Decatur Drug Co.

"Illinois' Greatest Drug Store"

Fast, Efficient Auto Delivery Service

—Today's Best Drug Store News—

Here Are Savings For You On Every Purchase

Here's Real Value

$2.00 ALARM CLOCKS, $1.29

Enameled Clock — Here is a nice looking clock enameled in blue, pink or white, and a good timekeeper which can be washed and kept as bright and new as your porcelain sink. Price $1.29

Nickled Clock. — One of the reliable Gilbert line those good time keepers with a cheerful, reliable alarm. Heavily nickeled, with a large open face and worth $2.00, but for the week-end $1.29

PULMATONE COUGH REMEDY

For ready relief of irritating, dangerous coughs, PULMATONE has by far the most demand than any cough remedy sold in this store. It is safe for children as well as adults and is made from a formula famous for results for over twenty years.

Price 25c—40c—90c

The larger package is more economical

Ebony Back Hair Brushes

With Secure White Bristles

Here are Sharp Reductions:

$4.00 Brush ......$2.07 $3.25 Brush $1.67
$3.50 Brush ......$1.77 $3.75 Brush $1.87
$2.00 Brush $1.07

BABY'S NEEDS

Faultless Nursers, 2 for 35c
Baby Hot Water Bottle $1.00
Mead's Dextri-Maltose ..70c
Mellins Food 50c
Eagle Brand Milk 23c
Dryco Dry Milk 65c
Imperial Granum ...30c, 65c

Two Good Brisk Broom Values

At 25c and 59c

Regular 40c Whisks, 25c. These are well made, of clean broomcorn and well sewn with securely bound handle. An excellent value for the money.

Regular $1.00 Whisks, 59c This broom has an ivory handle, ringed, for your convenience and is made of finest selected stock. Your chance to get a real value for very little money.

When Hands Are Chapped
Royal Witch Hazel Lotion

will quickly bring relief and heal them. Gallons of this soothing preparation has been sold here this season to bring comfort to discomforted hands. A large sized bottle costs but 25c

Jacob's Choicest Candies

Here Are a Few Reduced Prices

$1 65 Special Nut Meats $1.15
$1 50 Queen O' Hearts $1.05
$1 75 Royal Chocolates $1.15
$2.00 Fashion Box $1.35
$1.10 Whipped Creams 75c
$1.50 Brazil Nuts $1.05

Finest Steel Scissors

Choice of Five Sizes

One can find most any size scissor in this fine assortment and they are guaranteed to give satisfaction. Big scissors, little scissors, tiny scissors, all nicely nickeled and sharp .. 79c

FREE TO YOU!

Genuine Yeast Vitamine Tablets

With each package of Nuxated Iron you will receive free, a dollar box of Nuxated Brand Yeast Vitamine Tablets. These famous tablets are put up in sealed packages of 20 each, sixty tablets to the package, to preserve strength.

GET YOURS TODAY

A Special Sale of

Germicidal Soap

This excellent soap is an all around toilet and bath soap as well as a shampoo. Unsurpassed for sick room use or daily toilet. Prevents infection and endorsed by physicians. Regular 25c value 17c

Hot-A-Cold Brand

Genuine Thermos Bottles

Pints, $1.19 Quarts, $2.19

These are made of rust-proof aluminum highly polished, and use the genuine Thermos refill bottle. The genuine now costs no more than the unreliable inferior make.

When You Buy Hair Nets

Red Seal Hair Nets

are the nets that will give you more wear, keep your hair as arranged, and in the long run save money. Try these superior nets today and you'll find hair net satisfaction.

Single Cap or fringe, 2 for 25c
Double Cap or fringe, 20c; 3 for 50c

The Egg Market Is High

Are Your Chickens Producing?

They will if given the proper care and feed, the latter being the most important right now. Here are two good egg producers, guaranteed, too.

Don Sung 50c, $1.00, $5.00
Hess & Clark Panacea 25c, 75c, $1.50, $3.00

500 Shaves Guaranteed

from every full package of blades

This is possible only with the Valet AutoStrop Razor.

The patented self-stropping feature ensures this economy.

And every shave is as comfortable as a keen-edged, well-stropped blade can make it. When through shaving simply rinse and wipe dry—not a single part to be removed at any time.

A HOUSEHOLD NEED

at a special price

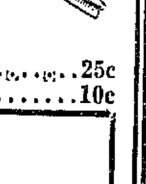
Big Wonder OIL MOP 50c — Big Wonder CEDAR POLISH 50c

The Combination for 59c.

A large oil mop and a full pint of good Cedar Oil Polish for almost the price of one. Take advantage of this offer.

Tooth Brushes and Tooth Brushes

Most any kind you desire—at any price you wish to pay.



Prophylactic Tooth Brushes 45c
Rubberset Tooth Brushes 45c
Hygienal Tooth Brushes 50c
Santox Tooth Brushes 50c
Geisha Tooth Brushes 25c
Service Tooth Brushes 10c

For Sore Tired Feet

Here's Grateful Relief

Nyal Ease-Em 25c
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Royal Foot Powder 25c
Fairy Foot Powder 25c
Jung's Arch Brace $1.00

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FRIDAY

STORE OPEN 8:30 A. M.

Come to Decatur's GREATEST UNDERSELLING Store.

$1 00 WOMEN'S GLOVES 69c — Fine Chamoisette gloves in gauntlet and 2 clasp style—all wanted colors all sizes "Kayser" and Maidwell Brands, pair 69c.

FRIDAY ONLY — 75c SILK HOSE 43c — Women's good quality silk Fibre hose in black and cordovan all sizes, pair 43c (Main Floor)

$1.25 CORSETS 74c — Good quality Coutil Corsets topless and medium Bust, sizes to 25, special at 74c (Second Floor)

FRIDAY ONLY — $1.50 CHILD'S DRESSES 77c — Amoskeag Gingham school dresses in pretty plaids, stripes and checks neat styles, sizes to 14, (Second Floor)

Ready to Wear—3rd Floor

DECATUR'S GREATEST COAT SALE

WOMEN'S AND MISSES'

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY

COATS

TO $37.50 VALUES $13.69

TO $30 VALUES $18.69

ALL WOOL COATS IN MEDIUM AND HEAVY WEIGHT, EVERY DESIRABLE STYLE, COLOR AND TRIMMING TO PICK FROM—MOST OF THEM ARE FUR TRIMMED— CHOICE OF BOLIVIA SUEDINE, SILK PLUSH, YALAMA, VELOUR, NORMANDY, AND OTHERS, BELTED COATS, WRAPPY COATS, PANEL BACK EFFECTS, BLOUSE MODELS, ETC., SIZES 16 TO 44 VALUES TO $37.50 AT $13.69 AND $18 69.

BUY TO $15 WOMEN'S

SKIRTS 5.95

Don't Miss This Sale, all are Manufacturers close outs, new Prunella cloth skirts, box or knife pleated styles, all now wanted shades, values to $15 at $5 95.

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S TO $27.50

SUITS and O-COATS $16.90

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY

THE SUITS—Blue Serges, Fancy Mixtures, Flannels, Cassimeres, Plain and Striped Materials, snappy young men's models and conservative styles for elderly men, all sizes, at $16 90.
THE OVERCOATS—Belted and Half Belted, Raglans and Town Ulsters, Grays, Browns, Greens, etc. Heavy all wool materials; also favorite plaid backs. All sizes at $16 90.

APRONS

$1.75 JIFFION APRONS $1.39 — New style fine muslin aprons —cretonne trimmed, slip on model tie back, large pockets, cute styles —all sizes $1 39.

MAIN FLOOR

$2.49 COVERALL APRONS $1.69 — Many new patterns of gingham and chambray coverall aprons at this new low price — Sash Back models and pretty color combinations, values at $2 49 at $1 69.

BASEMENT —SPECIALS—

15c YARD GINGHAM 9c — 27-in. plain chambray and gingham, mill ends —good colors, yd, 9c.

25c COTTON BATTS 17c — 1-lb. cotton batts, 36x72 spread, clean cotton, at 17c

39c BED TICKING 24c — 32-in fancy stripe bed ticking, neat patterns, yd, 24c.

15c UNBLEA MUSLIN 10c — 1,000 yds. of 36 in unbleached muslin remnants — good lengths, yd 10c.

39c LINING SATEEN 29c — 36-in. mercerized lining sateen, black and colors, yd 29c.

MEN'S —SPECIALS—

$1.50 UNION SUITS 87c — Form fitting fleeced, U-Suits, all sizes.

$1.00 JERSEY Sweaters 59c — Fine knit, navy and grey, all sizes

15c HOSE 3 PAIR 29c — Fine ribbed in black only, 3 pair 29c.

$ 1 25 MEN'S O-ALLS 89c — Heavy quality, well made, all sizes.

$2.75 FLANNEL SHIRTS 1.98 — Extra quality, well made in grey, all sizes.

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PECULIAR ACCIDENT TO ARCOLA CHILD

Falls from Table into Pan of Broken Dishes.

Arcola, Jan. 5—A three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Greenwood was frightfully injured Tuesday when she fell off a table head first into a pan of broken dishes.

The family were at the home of M. Lake, father of Mrs. Greenwood. The child crawled onto the table, which is one of the kind having leaves at each end that fold down. There was a pan of dishes on the table which tilted over, allowing the dishpan to fall to the floor and the child fell head first into them.

A broken, three cornered piece of one of the dishes went deep into the flesh under the child's left eye, making a wound that may cost the sight of the eye. The little one was taken to a hospital at Mattoon where she is receiving treatment.

STILL IN HOSPITAL.

Henry Forner is still a patient in a hospital at Mattoon. Three weeks ago he got a cinder in his left eye which became inflamed and painful. Later an abscess developed in the eye and now there are other complications which threaten to destroy the sight of the injured optic.

The Humbolt Shipping Association is to hold its annual meeting at the Humbolt town hall on Saturday, Jan. 14, beginning at one o'clock. A representative of the Illinois Agricultural association will address the meeting on the subject of "Live Stock Marketing."

AUTOMOBILE STRIPPED.

Burglars went to the farm of A. L. Breedlove, one mile east of Arcola, Monday night and stripped his Page automobile. Tracks on the road and on the Breedlove premises showed where they drove up in a car and entered the shed where Mr. Breedlove kept his auto. The shed was unlocked and they encountered no difficulty getting inside. They took two tires, two rims, the spark plugs and the battery coils off the car and made a safe getaway.

One of the tires was a new one which Mr. Breedlove put on the car Saturday to drive to the funeral of Robert Breedlove, held at Bardin. The other tire has been used only a short time.

Several thefts of a similar kind have been perpetrated in this vicinity recently and residents are of the opinion that there is a sort of organized gang working, the members of which show an amazing familiarity with the country hereabouts, if not actually residents.

FORTY NEW WOODMEN.

The Arcola Modern Woodmen lodge has initiated about forty new members during the last week. Two sessions were held, one on Friday and one on Monday evening. At Friday evening's session there was initiation work and a lunch was served. On Monday the initiation work was followed by the installation of the newly elected officers.

The following is a list of the new members: Truby Rugh, Chas. Sanders, M. W. Mulliken, Howard Hord, Charles Steproe, Elmer Hallowell, Timothy Logan, Lucien Rugh, Fred Collier, Geo. D. Logan, Lester Davis, Willard Cuskaden, Edwin Haley, Percy Waters, E. D. Cummings, John Duchardt, Earnest Vittle, Noah Stanley, Ernest Baser, Dr. M. H. Fortney, Raymond Hamilton, Wilson Franklin, Wm. D. Jones, Wm. H. Warner, Clarence A. Barnes, George C. Logan, Floyd Murphy, Dewey Roberts, Earl Titus, Claude Halloway, Harold Waters, Fred Brown, Yurl Dulkar, Richard Schwanz, John C. Eslinger, Ben Thornton, Theo. Shields.

The Country club will hold its regular meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reeder on South Pine street, beginning at 2:30 p. m. Thursday, Jan. 12.

THREE DISAPPEAR.

Three Bourbon boys, Will Jividen, Leonard Knight and a lad named Applegate left home last week and have not been heard from since. One of the boys said that he was going to Texas and the other two left the impression that they were going to Villa Grove.

Harry Crews, a well known Arcolan, is at present seriously ill, suffering with an attack of appendicitis.

WABASH TRAIN HITS AUTOMOBILE

W. W. Austin and Son Uninjured, But Car is Damaged.

Wabash passenger No. 1, leaving Decatur for St. Louis at 7 o'clock Wednesday night, struck the automobile of W. W. Austin, 175 Dennis avenue, and occupied by Mr. Austin and his son, J. B. Austin, at the West Main street crossing. The front end of the car was badly smashed and was tossed against a signal stand, but no one was injured. Mr. Austin drove up to the crossing from the west just as a two-car interurban train approached from the same direction. This shut off Mr. Austin's view to the north.

PARTY IS GIVEN BY ATWOOD MAN

Atwood, Jan. 5.—Henry Wilson gave a party at his country home last Friday night for a number of young people. Refreshments were served and a good time was enjoyed by all present.

Harry Hofsas, Joe Wiley and Z. B. Merritt motored to Champaign Saturday where Harry Hofsas visited over Sunday at the home of Joe Wiley and Mr. Merritt joined his wife, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Marshall.

Hugh Rigney of Arthur was here Friday evening and bought George Ware's touring car.

Miss Blanche Van Vleet entertained the Camp Fire girls out of school at a pot luck luncheon Saturday evening.

Mrs. Glen Lough of Rockville, Ind., and Mrs. Floyde Elmore of Tuscola were Atwood visitors Sunday afternoon.

Gerald Wilkerson of Champaign passed Sunday with home folks.

Mrs. C. E. Rice, who has been nursing at Arthur the last four months, has returned to the home of her sister, Mrs. Frank Burk.

Richard Faye was called to Sullivan Monday on account of the sudden death of John Nighswander.

Born, Monday, Jan. 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Sahl, a son.

Born, Monday, Jan. 3, to Mr. and Mrs. Claud Barcus, a son.

Kenneth Wilson returned Tuesday from New York, where he had been attending an athletic conference.

Miss Inez Smith of St. Louis, who has been visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. John Martin, left Monday for her home.

W. M. Offenstein of Decatur was here Tuesday on business.

Indigestion or Sour, Gassy Stomach

"Pape's Diapepsin" gives Relief in Five Minutes

"Pape's Diapepsin" relieves stomach distress in five minutes. You don't want a slow remedy when your stomach is bad—or an uncertain one—or a harmful one—your stomach is too valuable; you mustn't injure it with drastic drugs. Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in giving relief, its harmlessness, its certain unfailing action in regulating sick, sour, gassy stomachs. Keep this perfect stomach doctor in your home—keep it handy—get a large sixty-cent case from any drug store, and then if you should eat something which doesn't agree with you, if what you eat lays like lead, ferments and sours and forms gas; causes headache, dizziness and nausea; eructations of acid and undigested food—remember as soon as Pape's Diapepsin comes in contact with the stomach all indigestion vanishes. It is the most efficient antacid known—the certainty and ease with which it overcomes stomach and digestive disorders is a revelation to those who try it.

KONDON'S CATARRHAL JELLY is guaranteed by 30 years service to millions of Americans. Kondon's works wonders for your cold, sneezing, cough, chronic catarrh, headache, sore nose, etc.

FREE 20 Treatment tin on receipt of your name and address. KONDON Minneapolis, Minn.

Druggists have it 30c

Friday Until Noon

Genuine 10c bars of Fairy Toilet soap—the popular oval bars. Friday until noon at Stewart's 3 bars for, **15c**

—Genuine Ivory toilet soap, regular price everywhere 8c a bar—Friday until noon at Stewart's 3 bars for, **25c**

— Genuine Woodbury facial soap sold everywhere for 25c a cake—Friday until noon at Stewarts' a cake, **15c**

DECATUR'S BUSY STORE ALWAYS THE LOWEST PRICES

Stewart Dry Goods

227-235 N. WATER ST. DECATUR, ILLS

Friday Until Noon

Genuine De Coty face powder, white, flesh and brunette, regular price $1 a box, Friday until noon at Stewarts' a box, **59c**

—Genuine $1.25 box of Azurea face powder, flesh, white or brunette; Friday until noon at Stewarts' a box, **59c**

Genuine Mary Garden face powder, all colors regular price everywhere $1 a box, Friday until noon a box, **59c**

Remnants--Silks--Dress Goods and Wash Goods Almost Given Away

Thousands of desirable lengths—2, 3, 4, 5, and all lengths under ten yards—the short lengths left from our seasons selling—Canton Crepes, Satin Charmeuse, Satin Messalines, chiffon taffetas, silk poplins, Baronette satins, novelty striped taffetas, tub silks, pongees, georgette crepes, crepe de chines, wool serges, wool velours, novelty skirtings, chiffon velvets, costume velvets, all wool tricotines, all wool plaids, broadcloths, corduroy, Bolivia Coatings, muslins, percales, challies, white goods, ginghams, outing flannels, calicos and many others. Come Friday and get your share of these fine materials at the following wonderful prices.

$1.25 Poplins
Genuine Susquhanna silk poplins—all colors—full 36 inches wide—sold everywhere regularly for $1.25 a yard—all lengths under ten yards—Friday a yard **50c**

$1.75 Silks 79c
All short lengths of yard wide satin messalines, yard wide taffetas, wash satins, and 40 inch all silk crepe de Chines,—all lengths under 10 yards—silks worth $1.50 to $1.75 a yard—Choice a yard **79c**

$2.50 Silks 98c
Beautiful plain and fancy silks, also finest broadcloth, shirting silks, all lengths under ten yards—regular $2, $2.25 and $2.50 silks—Friday choice a yard **98c**

$1.50 Serges
All wool storm serges, and French serges, 36 to 40 inches wide—very fine wool serges in navy, brown, black, etc—regular $1.50 values—all lengths under ten yards—Choice a yard **69c**

$3 Values
A great many dress lengths, skirt lengths and lengths for Childrens dresses—finest all wool serges, taffetas, Chuddah cloths, fancy plaids, etc—36 to 54 inches wide—values up to $3 a yard Friday a yard **$1**

$1 Values
Worsted plaids full 36 inches wide, fine for children's dresses—regular 69c, 75c, 85c and up to $1 values Friday choice a yard **29c**

45c Values
Upwards of 250 remnants of fine dress ginghams, fine voiles, Chambrays, Cambrics, etc—values up to 45c a yard, Friday a yard **15c**

69c Values
Upwards of 200 remnants of Serpentine crepes, kimona crêpes, romper cloths, fine tissue ginghams, poplins, etc—values up to 69c a yard—Friday a yard **19c**

50c Satines
Remnants of yard wide fine lining and shirting satines in all colors—regular 39c, 45c and 50c values—all lengths under ten yards—Friday a yard **15c**

25c Values
Upwards of 300 remnants of percales, chambrays, ginghams, American print, etc—values up to 25c a yard—Friday at Stewarts' a yard **8c**

35c Values
Yard wide percales, lights and darks yard wide challies fine dress ginghams—all lengths under ten yards—all regular 25c, 30c and 35c values—Friday a yard **12½c**

25c Muslin
Upwards of 500 remnants of yard wide full bleached muslin and cambrics—Hope, Daisy, Hopedale, First Choice Gold Coin Advertiser, all standard yard wide bleached muslins and cambrics forth up to 25c a yard—Choice a yard **10c**

18c Muslin
Upwards of 200 remnants of yard wide unbleached muslin Standard L. L. unbleached yard wide muslins—regular price 15c to 18c a yard—Friday a yard **6½c**

75c Values
Upwards of one hundred remnants of bleached and unbleached double width sheetings, pillow tubings and pillow casing, all widths, from 40 inches, 42 inches, 45 inches up to sheetings 2 1-2 yards wide—up to 75c values—Choice a yard **25c**

45c Values
Upwards of 300 remnants of white dress goods plain and fancy weaves poplins, piques, madras, organdies, Persian lawns, suitings, skirtings, waistings, dimities, etc—up to 45c values—Friday choice a yard **18c**

35c Toweling
Upwards of 200 remnants of toweling—all linen, linen weft, and heavy absorbent roller and crash toweling worth regularly 30c to 35c a yard—Friday Choice a yard **15c**

Greatest of All January Clearance Sales

Coats — Less Than Half Price

Women's, Misses' and Junior's Coats, Worth UP TO $15 January Clearance **$5**

$18.50 Women's and Misses' Cloth coats and short plush coats now **$9.25**
$20.00 Women's and Misses' Cloth coats and short plush coats now **$10.00**
$25.00 Women's and Misses' cloth coats and fur trimmed coats now **$12.50**
$30.00 Women's and Misses' cloth and fur trimmed coats, some plushes now **$15.00**
$35.00 Women's and Misses' cloth and fur trimmed coats, also some plushes, now **$17.50**
$40.00 Wool coats plain and fur trimmed long plush coats now **$20.00**
$45.00 Fur trimmed and plain tailored cloth coats and plushes now **$22.50**
$50.00 Fine wool coats, fur trimmed and plush coats now **$25.00**
$75.00 Handsome cloth coats, plain and fur trimmed now **$37.50**

Suits — Less Than Half Price

Women's and Misses' Suits, Worth UP TO $25 January Clearance **$10**

$30.00 Women's and Misses' plain tailored and braid trimmed suits, now .. **$15.00**
$35.00 Women's and Misses' wool velours, serge and tricotine suits, now **$17.50**
$40.00 Fur trimmed and plain tailored suits of wool velour now **$20.00**
$50.00 Braided, embroidered and fur trimmed women's and misses' suits. **$25.00**
$65.00 plain tailored tricotine and fur trimmed wool velour suits, now **$32.50**
$75.00 Smart plain tailored and embroidered suits & fur trimmed suits **$37.50**
$85.00 Velour De Lane, Tricotine and Chamoistine tail. and fur trim. suits **$42.50**
$100.00 Handsome fur trimmed and man tailored suits, now **$50.00**
$125.00 fine imported models, fur trimmed—wonderful suits, now **$62.50**
$150.00, the choicest and best in the house, fur trimmed suits, now **$75.00**

Dresses — Less Than Half Price

Women's and Misses Dresses, Worth UP TO $15 January Clearance. **$5**

$16.50 Serge, Tricotine, Wool Velour and silk dresses, now **$8.25**
$18.50 Emb. and tailored serge tricotine and silk dresses ... **$9.25**
$20 Serge, tricotine, wool velour and silk dresses, now **$10**
$25 Plain tailored and emb. tricotine & silk dresses, now **$12.50**
$29.50 Canton crepe, taffeta, wool velour, tricotine dresses **$14.75**
$35.00 Canton Crepe, Crepe satin, taffeta, tricotine and Poiret twill dresses, now **$17.50**
$39.50 Tricolette, Cant. Crepe Satin and Tricotine dresses **$19.75**
$45 reg. & ex. large size satin tricotine & tricolette dresses **$22.50**
$50 extra sizes & regular size plain and embroidered dresses, now.... **$25**

Warm Winter Underwear Less—Than Mill Price

Men's heavy fleeced warm winter union suits—all sizes—gray ribbed union suits—regular price in all stores $1 to $1.25—Friday and Saturday a suit .. **69c**

Men's heavy fleeced warm winter union suits—well made and carefully finished—regular price in all stores $1.25 to $1.50 a suit—all sizes—Stewarts sale price a suit ... **89c**

Men's extra heavy and very fine ribbed union suits all sizes—regular $2, $2.25 and $2.50 values Friday and Saturday Stewarts January sale price **$1.25**

Boys' and Misses' fine ribbed union suits—broken lines almost all sizes—regular 75c, 85c and $1 values—Sale price Friday and Saturday choice **39c**

Women's fine ribbed warm winter union suits—many different styles, all sizes, regular $1.25 to $1.50 values—Sale price Friday and Saturday a suit **69c**

Women's fine soft silky fleeced union suits—pure white—long or short sleeves—all styles—all sizes regular $2 values—Friday and Saturday sale price .. **95c**

Women's genuine Ivanhoe mills and Carter's union suits, all sizes—regular $3, $3.50 and $4 values—Friday and Saturday at Stewarts sale price **$1.95**

Stewart's Lead All Decatur in Making Lowest Prices on Hosiery—Read These Prices—Then Come Buy

50c Hose, 15c
About 100 dozen Men's, Women's and Children's cotton hose come in black, white, and brown, odd lots and odd sizes—hose worth up to 50c a pair—Special for Friday, a pair .. **15c**

50c Men's Hose, 25c
25 dozen Men's fine Cashmere Hose. Come in black only—all sizes—regular 50c values, Friday a pair **25c**

$1 Silk Hose, 39c
About 69 dozen Women's silk, silk lisle and cotton hose—Come in black brown, gray and white—hose that sold for 79c and $1.00 a pair—for Friday only a pair **39c**

$1.25 Women's Silk Hose, 79c
$1.25 Women's full fashioned silk lisle hose, come in black, brown and white, all sizes—special sale price a pair **79c**

$2.50 Wool Hose, $1
50 dozen Women's ribbed wool hose—come in brown, and black, heather mixtures—regular $2.00 and $2.50 values. Friday a pair **$1**

$3 Silk Hose, $1.49.
25 dozen Women's pure thread silk hose—Full fashioned—come in black, brown, gray and white, this lot of silk hose has sold as high as $3.00 a pair for Friday only a pair **$1.49**

$3.50 Hose, $2.39
Women's pure thread silk hose—full fashioned. Come in black brown, blue, gray and white—all sizes Friday a pair **$2.39**

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Genuine $5.00 Glove silk hose in Van Raalte make come in black, brown corduroy and white—all sizes—Special price for Friday only a pair.. **$2.98**

Big Bargains in Blankets and Beddings At Stewart's

25c Baby Blankets
Crib blankets with pink and white borders—sale price **10c**

85c Baby Blankets
Wool finish crib blankets sale price Friday **50c**

$1.50 Baby Robes
Heavy scalloped baby robes sale price **$1**

$2.00 Blankets
Silky fleeced cotton blankest in gray and tan sale price **98c**

$4 Blankets
Heavy fleeced gray blankets, sale price Friday **$2.49**

$5 Woolnap Blank'ts
Heavy plaid woolnap blankets, January Clearing **$3.49**

$8 Blankets
Largest size woolnap blankets, best quality, sale price **$4.50**

$8.98 Blankets
Large size wool blankets—all color plaids sale price **$4.98**

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Local Notices

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PERSONALS

Mrs. George W. Black, who has been ill at her home 1211 North College, is getting along nicely.

Merle Shaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Shaw, 1505 West Decatur street, has returned to Golden, Colo., where he is attending a mining school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gregg and W. D. Tatman of Bloomington spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Kenney, 1498 North Union street.

Mrs. Walter Ware and son, Jr., left Monday for Los Angeles, California, to spend the winter with Mrs. Mary Brightbill.

MRS. EDGERLY GAINED WEIGHT

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Boston, Mass.—I got into a very run-down condition, was nervous, could not sleep. I did not feel able to do my housework an' had no ambition. I tried different remedies and was treated by a physician, but did not seem to gain. One day I was in a store in Boston and was told about Vinol and decided to try it. It made me gain in strength and flesh, and I have been greatly benefited by its use, so now I am able to do all my work. —Mrs. J. P. Edgerly, Boston, Mass.

The reason Vinol built Mrs. Edgerly up after all other remedies had failed is because it contains the strength creating and tissue building properties of cod liver oil (without oil) aided by the blood making and vitalizing elements of iron and beef peptones. $1.00 a bottle guaranteed.

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SOCIAL NEWS

WOMAN'S COUNCIL TO MEET FRIDAY

The Woman's Council will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30, at the Y. W. C. A. The meeting was scheduled to be held Monday afternoon, but was postponed until Friday, as the Y. W. C. A. was closed on Monday.

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Mrs. L. W. Snerly gave a very interesting talk on "The History of the Novel," at the meeting of the Shakespeare division of the Woman's club Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. R. M. Cooper read several poems by Edgar A. Guest. Next Wednesday, the division will begin the study of "Cymbeline." William C. Casey's talk was postponed until after the play is finished. Mrs. H. C. Martin will be the leader for the next meeting.

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THE general meeting of the Woman's club is being held Thursday afternoon at the club rooms in the Congregational church. As usual the directory met at 1:45, and the general session followed:

Members of Art and Literature division are the hostesses for the afternoon. An interesting musical program has been arranged.

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Mrs. Ada Stoner is entertaining at bridge Thursday afternoon, honoring Miss Frances Chenoweth.

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Mrs. Ben Wagoner will leave Thursday for Chicago where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Anna E. Washer.

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Mrs. S. Henry Nelson will entertain informally Saturday for her sister, Mrs. Newton Roberts of Ottumwa, Ia., who is visiting her. Mrs. Roberts is a member of the national council of alumnae of Alpha Chi Omega. Several other affairs are being planned for Mrs. Roberts.

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Mrs. Lauren Shaw is entertaining the Bridge club, Thursday afternoon, in her home, 130 Glencoe Avenue. The decorations are red and green. The next meeting of the Bridge club will be with Mrs. George Walraven, 1007 West Macon street, two weeks from Thursday.

Life's Lighter Hours

Mrs. Frank Loring, 1151 East Lawrence, was hostess to the Golden Rule club Wednesday afternoon. The time was spent socially. The next meeting will be held next Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. S. Monroe, 922 East North.

Mrs. F. F. Burns was hostess to the members of the C. C. club at her home, 955 West Main, Wednesday afternoon. Officers elected for the coming year were as follows:

President—Mrs. C. L. Dougherty.
Vice president—Mrs. E. E. Maxwell.
Secretary—Mrs. W. E. Hallford.
Treasurer—Mrs. F. F. Burns.
Chairman of social committee—Mrs. W. N. Elliott.
Chairman of floral committee—Mrs. C. F. Boone.

Misses Long and Ramer from Millikin conservatory gave musical numbers which were enjoyed. The hostess served a two course luncheon.

The next meeting will be held in two weeks with Mrs. C. L. Dougherty.

Mrs. A. B. Wilson, 1046 South Maffit street, was hostess Wednesday afternoon to the members of the S. S. M. club. The house was beautifully decorated in red and green, and delicious refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Anna Blackburn, 1301 East Vanderhoof street, next Wednesday.

The annual election of officers was held Tuesday afternoon at the meeting of the D. G. U. club held in the home of Mrs. E. B. Harrouff, 672 West Olive street, with the following results:

President—Mrs. Minnie Burnett.
Vice president—Mrs. W. W. Allbright.
Secretary—Mrs. Zella Barger.
Treasurer—Mrs. Laura Hugill.

Following the business meeting a social hour was held and refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Hugill, 900 block West Hunt street.

Mrs. Frank Hall, 1160 Roger avenue, delightfully entertained the members of the Thimble Bee club at her home Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Anna Buffington won the prize in the guessing contest. The women spent the afternoon with needle work and the hostess served a delicious two course luncheon.

The club held a New Year's party Monday evening for the members and their families at the home of Mrs. Silas Watts, 440 South Water street. A fine chicken supper was served.

Fifteen members and four visitors were in attendance at the meeting of the Mysostus club held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. K. Ehrhart, 928 North Edward street. A very pleasant social time was spent together and the hostess served luncheon. Mrs. Henry Keeler won the club prize. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. John Fitzpatrick, 2149 North Main street.

Paving Assessments.

Comptroller A. L. McNabb took in $6,800 in special assessments for paving, sewers, etc., Wednesday, the second day for paying special assessments. Tuesday, the first day, he collected $5,000. The people are responding more promptly than usual and he is highly gratified at this.

Wanted Victor Records Are Now at Linn's

We are pleased to announce that Victor Records as follows which have been out of stock for some time have arrived and folks who have been wanting them, if they will call, there is now a plentiful supply.

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These are all 85c records.

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FRANK TORRENCE TO GO SKATING

Says He Has the Skates and He's Going to Put Them on.

"Looks as if we were going to have more skating," said Frank Torrence Thursday morning.

"I was raised on the Mahoning river in Ohio, near Milton Lake, and I used to see good skaters. I am surprised to see how many middle aged people here now are just as good skaters. I talked to some of them. They say when they were young they used to skate on the river all the time."

Mr. Torrence was asked if he himself had been on skates yet, this winter, and he said:

"I haven't put them on yet but I have the skates and I am going to put them on."

LODGE INSTALLS ITS NEW OFFICERS

Decatur Lodge, 65, I. O. O. F. Has Session Tuesday Night.

Decatur Lodge, No. 65, I. O. O. F. held its installation of newly elected officers Tuesday night in the lodge rooms, the following being the new official staff:

Noble Grand—C. O. Atchison.
Vice Grand—Elmer Collins.
Financial Secretary—Ira A. Garver.
Recording Secretary—Merlin Mills.
Treasurer—S. O. Kennedy.
Chaplain—E. H. Parker.
I. P. G.—Jerome Edwards.
Inside guardian—Claude Wisher.
Outside guardian—George Brownlow.
R. S. N. G.—James Joplin
L. S. N. G.—Harry Sentry.
R. S. V. G.—Algy Miers
L. S. V. G.—Thomas O'Laughlin.
R. L. S.—O. H. Ward.
L. L. S.—R. Vaughn.
Finance committee—O. M. Lowry, J. R. Watson, L. W. Fribourg.

TALK FEDERATION OF FATHERS' CLUBS

Warren Dads Appoint Committee.

About forty men of the Warren School Father's club were present at the meeting Wednesday evening at which the combining of all Fathers clubs of the city into one federation was discussed. This had been talked of before but no definite steps had been taken toward such an organization. However, in the meeting Wednesday evening, a committee of eight men was appointed, with John Evans, as chairman, to visit the other clubs of the city and talk the matter over with them. Another meeting of the Warren club will be held soon to discuss the results accomplished by the committee.

Superintendent J. J. Richeson talked to the fathers Wednesday evening and urged them to co-operat with the Mothers' clubs to secure the added school tax when it comes up in the spring. Other talks were made by members of the club.

Church Calendar

FRIDAY.

All the boy scout troops of the First Methodist church will meet in the church basement at 7.30 Friday evening. The W. H. M. S. will meet at 2.30 Friday afternoon in the church parlors. Mrs. C. E. Rudgers will lead the devotions and Mrs. H. Stephens the lesson. Mrs. Ed Smith and Mrs. J. R. McDonald will sing solos and Mrs. Lorton will give a piano solo.

The northern division of the Ladies' Aid of Grace Methodist church will meet with Mrs. L. P. Kizer, 904 North Edward at 2.30 Friday afternoon. Reports of the year's work will be read. The Boy Scouts will meet at 7 o'clock.

There will be holy communion in St. John's Episcopal church at 10 a. m. Friday.

All women interested in special work in the First Presbyterian church are invited to a luncheon in the church at 12 o'clock Friday noon. The Woman's Missionary society will meet at 2.30 Friday afternoon. Miss Hallie Axton will have the devotions. The topic is "Is Ancient China Changing Into a Menace or a Blessing to the World?"

The Woman's society of the First Baptist church will meet at 2.30 Friday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Ameling, 358 Stuart avenue. The topic is "Illinois Missions." Leader, Mrs. M. C. Davis. Division 10 will entertain. The class in Bible study will meet at the church at 7:30 Friday evening.

There will be choir rehearsal in the First Christian church at 7.30 Friday evening.

The Ladies' society of the Congregational church will have its annual meeting at 2.30 Friday afternoon. Important business will be discussed. A social hour will follow.

The choir of the First United Brethren church will rehearse at 7.30 Friday evening.

The prayer band of the Church of the Brethren will meet at 7.30 Friday evening.

There will be choir practice in the Third United Brethren church Friday evening.

The Teachers' Training class of the Riverside Baptist church will meet Friday evening at 7:30, with Mrs. George Oakes, 828 East Cantrell street.

The choir of the Westminster Presbyterian church will have rehearsal Friday evening at 7 o'clock at the university. A social hour will follow. Group one will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. S. J. Sloddard, 742 West Marietta street.

Group two will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. F. G. Thompson, 348 West Prairie Avenue.

Church Notes

Mrs. R. W. Shull was hostess to members of the west central division of the Ladies' Aid of the First Methodist church in her home, 429 West Prairie, Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Levi Towle had charge of the devotions and music was played on the victrola. Miss Monser gave several delightful readings.

Seventy-eight calls were reported for the month. This division will furnish the program and serve refreshments at the next meeting of the General Aid.

Mrs. Shull served refreshments, Tuesday afternoon, to the thirty women present. The home was decorated with roses and sweet peas. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Pistorious.

Week of Prayer Services.

The Week of Prayer services will be resumed again Thursday night after discontinuing them Wednesday when each church had its own prayer meeting. The speakers at the Monday and Tuesday evening meetings held in the First Christian and Grace Methodist churches respectively, were good and special music also was enjoyed by the audiences. The meetings for Thursday and Friday evenings are as follows: Thursday—7.30 p. m. In the Westminster Presbyterian church. Evangelism night. Rev. John R. Golden, chairman. "Evangelistic Program," Rev. R. E. Henry. "Modern Methods" Rev. T. H. Marsh. "Personal Evangelism," Rev. Chesteen Smith.

Friday—7.30 p. m. In St. Paul's Methodist church. Sunday school night. Rev. Harry L. Meyer, chairman. Short messages from Sunday school superintendents "What Religious Education Means for the Future Church," Rev. W. S. Dando.

Riverside W. C. T. U. Meets.

Mrs. E. N. Wagenseller gave a very interesting talk in regard to her work as probation officer at the meeting of Riverside W. C. T. U. held Wednesday in the home of Mrs. F. W. Dickerson, 1036 East Cleveland Avenue. Miss Lou Clayton gave the leading facts of the legislative news at Washington during the last four weeks. Miss Frances Erwin read "The Great Guest Comes."

The treasurer reported that $40 was cleared at the bakery sale, and this has been turned over to the treasurer of the Woman's Council for the Boys Opportunity Home. There is a balance of $79.18 in the treasury. The women worked on quilts during the morning, and a fine pot luck luncheon was served at noon. Plans were made for an all day quilting to be held next Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Thomas Weaver, 935 South Maffit street. The regular meeting of the union will be held Feb. 1, at the home of Miss Lou Clayton. Eighteen members were in attendance.

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Our entire stock of plaid skirts, beautiful new colorings, all hand tailored, pockets and buttonholes—full plaited models—$10, $12 and $15 skirts tomorrow, at **$7.95**

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How Definite Objectives and Policies Have Kept Rodgers Shoe Store's Business Growing

By H. W. RODGERS

After wishing all the compliments of the season we wish to thank our customers for the splendid support you have given us during the past year.

More pair of shoes were sold by us in 1921 than in any year in our history, and the loyalty of our customers has been the important factor in bringing this about. We recognize this fact and wish to acknowledge it.

Although competition has been keen and there was a demand for cheap merchandise — we tried in every instance to maintain our standard of quality.

We gained our reputation for fair dealing by selling dependable merchandise and giving painstaking service.

We did not become panicy about prices and forget quality. While we carry some shoes of the cheaper grades—and always try to give our customers what they want at the price they wish to pay— we realize that it is one thing to sell shoes cheap and quite another thing to sell cheap shoes.

These are days of conservation and necessary thrift, and with our very conservative methods—eliminating all unnecessary expenses, it still remains possible for us to sell quality footwear at reasonably low prices.

With a very complete stock of good, dependable shoes, with only a very small per cent of novelty shoes we are always certain of a reasonable turn over of all merchandise at a very low mark up.

Because our shoes are not freakish—going out of style with the change of the moon, we can always give our customers 100 cents in value for every dollar that they spend with us.

We don't think it ethical to charge Mrs. Swift $12.00 for shoes in May—Mrs. Jones $8.50 in June and Mrs. Keen $2.85 in July. It is not fair for Mrs. Swift to have to pay for Mrs. Keen's shoes.

Our equitable basis for disposing of broken lines is such that every customer pays something near what an article is worth at the time she makes the purchase.

There are always broken lines to be disposed of, and we of course are willing to sacrifice on them, but will not charge a customer $10.00 for a pair of shoes on Dec. 24, and sell the same kind to his neighbor for half price on the 2nd of Jan.

Comparative prices in advertising merchandise does not appeal to us, as they are usually ficticious and are only estimates placed upon the article by the merchant, rather than what the article can be purchased for in another store.

We have found after 32 and 43 years of experience that nearly every merchant who has met with reasonable success, is a live wire; wide awake man, always looking for good values for his customers.

No man could remain in busines very long if he failed to recognize the fact that he must meet his competitors prices and give reasonably good service. If we are so unfortunate at any time to make a bad deal and pay too much for a lot of shoes—we will be good sports and take our losses, and we'll never allow any store to take our customers away from us by the method of underselling. In marking goods, over head expenses must always be considered. While we are quite modest and are not given to boasting, we can not conceive of any buyer going into the markets and secure better values than we can or run a store more economically than we do.

Of the 397 stores reporting selling costs to the Harvard Bureau of Research of Harvard University, ours was one of the lowest; in fact was 6 per cent lower than the average store.

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Our customers have made it possible for us to succeed along these lines, and in grateful appreciation for their confidence we are more determined than ever to carry on.

We will lend every effort to make 1922 better than all previous years by ever keeping before us this one ideal:

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The Snowshoe Trail

by Edison Marshall

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BEGIN HERE TODAY.

Bill Bronson and Virginia Tremont find themselves forest prisoners in Bill's cabin in the Clearwater of Canada. Bill was hired by Virginia to guide her in her search for her fiance, Harold Lounsbury, who vanished in the Clearwater six years before. Her fiance's uncle and a cook, Vosper, completed the party. Bill and Virginia were engulfed in fording Grizzly river. Bill saved Virginia's life. The others, left on the opposite shore, deserted. Bill hopes to look also for the lost mine of his father, murdered by a partner.

GO ON WITH THE STORY.

VIII.

VIRGINIA found the days much happier than she had hoped.

She liked the hours of sober talk in the evenings. Sometimes they would play through the records, and so well had Bill made his selections that she never tired of them.

She had her lonesome hours, but not so many as she had expected. When time hung heavy on her hands she would take out one of the old magazines that Bill had brought up to read on the winter nights.

She had abundant health. The experience seemed to build her up, rather than injure her. Her muscles developed, she breathed deep of the cold mountain air, and she had more energy than she could easily spend.

She fought away the tendency to grow careless in dress or appearance. She kept her few clothes clean and mended, she dressed her hair as carefully as in her city home.

Their cabin life was redeemed by their frequent excursions into the wild. The study of Nature was constantly more absorbing to the girl.

In these excursions Virginia learned to use her pistol with remarkable accuracy. Her strength increased; she could follow wherever Bill led.

They did not forget their graver business. Ever Virginia kept watch for a track that was not an animal track, a blaze on a tree not made by the teeth of porcupine or grizzly, a charred cooking rack over the ashes of a fire. But as yet they had found no sign of human wayfarers other than themselves.

Bill never ceased to search for his mine. He looked for blazes, too; for a sign of an old camp or a pile of washings beside a stream. When he found an open stream he would wash the gravel, and it seemed to him he combed the entire region between the two little tributaries of Grizzly River indicated on his map. But with the deepening snow search was ever more difficult. Unlike Virginia, he was almost ready to give up.

Every day winter strengthened its fetters.

Even the rapids of the river had begun to freeze.

But now the snowshoe frames were done, wrought from tough spruce, and the moose hide cut into thongs and stretched across to make the webs. For a few days Bill and Virginia had been slaves in the cabin, and they held high revels in celebration of their completion. Now they could go forth into the drifts again.

It did not mean, however, that the time was ripe for them to take their sled and mush into Bradleyburg. The snow was still too soft for long jaunts.

Came a clear, icy night, and the Northern Lights were more vivid and beautiful than ever. Bill thought Virginia was watching their display; if he had known the real subject of her thoughts, he would not have come and stood in the doorway with her.

"We're not the only ones to see it," Virginia told him softly. "Somewhere I think—I feel—that Harold is watching it, too. Somewhere over this snow."

Bill did not answer, and the girl turned to him in tremulous appeal.

"Won't you find him for me, Bill?" she cried. "You are so strong, so capable—you can do anything, anything you try. Won't you find him and bring him back to me?"

The man looked down at her, and his face was ashen.

VIII.

ONE clear, icy night a gale sprang up in the east, and Virginia and Bill fell to sleep to the sound of its complaint. And when Bill went forth for his morning's woodcutting he found that his snowshoes did not break through the crust.

The wind had blown and crusted the drifts during the night.

This permitted him to make a dash over to a certain stream further down toward the Yuga River in search of any sign of the lost mine.

When about two miles from the cabin he saw, through a rift in the distant trees, a human trail in the snow.

He stood a moment in the drifts, torn by an inner struggle.

All his fondest hopes, his dreams, all the inner guardians of his own happiness told him to keep his search, to journey on his way and forget he had seen the tracks. Every desire of Self spoke in warning to him.

But Bill Bronson had a higher law than self. Long ago, in front of the ramshackle hotel in Bradleyburg, he had given a promise—to find Harold Lounsbury!

He turned and went over to investigate the tracks.

He followed swiftly down the trail, anxious to know his fate at the first possible instant. He saw that the trail was fresh, made that morning; he had every reason to think that he could overtake the man who had made it within a few hours.

He did not catch up with the traveler in the snow. But shortly after the noon hour his keen eyes saw a wisp of smoke drifting through the trees, and his heart leaped in his breast. He pushed on, emerging all at once upon a human habitation.

It was a lean-to rather than a cabin. A fire smoldered in front. And his heart leaped with indescribable relief when he saw that neither of the two men that were squatted in the lean-to mouth was the stranger who had passed his camp six years before.

Bill had old acquaintance with the type of man that confronted him now. One of them was Joe Robinson—an Indian who had wintered in Bradleyburg a few years before.

His companion, Pete the Breed, a half-breed with a mixture of French, was a man unknown to Bill.

There are certain laws, among the northern men, as to trapping rights. Mostly they are unwritten; but their influence is felt clear beyond the Arctic Circle. They state quite clearly that when a man lays down a line of traps, for a certain distance on each side of him the district is his, and no one shall poach on his preserves. And these Indians had lately been partners in an undertaking to clear the whole region of its furs.

They had no idea but that Bill had discovered their trap lines and had come to make trouble.

So they were considerably amazed at Bill's first question. "Did one of you make those tracks out there?" he asked.

"No," Joe grunted. "Our pardner made it. Follow it down— pretty soon find another cabin."

IX.

BILL only had to turn to see the snowy roof of the cabin, two hundred yards away down the glade.

It was a new cabin, just erected, and smoke drifted faintly from its

"THIS MAN WAS HAROLD LOUNSBURY."

chimney. Bill rapped on the door.

"Come along in," some one answered gruffly. Bill did not have to glance twice at the bearded face to know in whose presence he stood. Changed as he was, there was no chance for a mistake. This was Harold Lounsbury, the same man who had passed his camp years before, the same lost lover that Virginia had come to find.

Bill saw that the man was frightened. His lips were loose, his eyes nervous and bright, his hands did not hold quite steady. Here was one that the wilderness had crushed in its brutal grasp.

This did not mean that his health was wasted. His body was strong and trim, except for a suspicious network of red lines in his cheeks and a yellow tinge to the whites of his eyes, he would have seemed in superb physical condition.

The evidence lay rather in the expression of his face, and most of all in the surroundings in which he lived.

He was utterly unkempt and slovenly. His coarse beard covered his lips, his matted hair was dull with dirt, his skin was scarcely less dark than that of the Indians themselves. The nails on his hands were foul; the floor of the house was cluttered with rubbish and filth.

Yet leering through his degeneracy, his identity could not be mistaken. Here was the man Virginia had pierced the North to seek.

"What do you want?" he asked.

"You're Lounsbury, of course," Bill answered.

"Sure, I ask you again—what you want?"

"You've been living on the Yuga. You came up here to trap my territory."

Lounsbury remembered his stanch allies—Pete and Joe. "And what if I did?"

"You knew I trapped here. You brought up Joe Robinson and a breed with you. You meant to clean up this winter—all the furs in the country."

Harold's face drew in a scowl. "And what are you goin' to do about it?"

"The queer thing is—" and Bill spoke quietly, slowly, "I'm not going to do anything about it—now. I didn't come to see you about trapping. I came—about Virginia Tremont."

"Virginia!" he cried. "My God, what do you know about her?"

All at once he looked, with an annoyance and anxiety that at first Bill could not understand, toward the door of the cabin.

An Indian squaw—for all her filth and untidiness a fair representative of her breed—pushed through the door and came stolidly inside.

Bill's face was stern as the gray cliffs of the Selkirks when he turned again to Harold. "Is that your woman?" he asked simply.

Harold shrugged. "One doesn't marry squaws," he replied.

"I came to find Harold Lounsbury, a gentleman," Bill went on in the same strange, flat voice, "and I find—a squaw man."

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Winter Salad Problem Solved For You

By Sister Mary.

Winter salads sometimes seem a problem. The ingredients the often expensive and hard to get. But as the salad puts the piquant touch in many an otherwise heavy and uninteresting dinner it behooves the housekeeper to cudgel her brain and produce some sort of a salad.

Perhaps these salad recipes will help and suggest other combinations.

LIMA BEAN SALAD.

One and one-half cups canned or cooked dried lima beans, 1 cup diced celery, 1 tablespoon minced onion, 2 tablespoons minced green pepper, grated cheese, French dressing.

Mix vegetables, being careful not to crush beans. Divide into portions and serve on a leaf of lettuce. Sprinkle with grated cheese and pour over French dressing.

HARLEQUIN SALAD.

One cup canned peas, ½ cup diced cooked beet, ½ cup diced cooked carrot, 1 cup each red and white shredded cabbage, 1 medium sized onion finely chopped, French dressing.

Mix vegetables, pour over French dressing to make moist and let stand an hour before serving. Serve on lettuce with more French dressing or mayonnaise.

CAULIFLOWER SALAD.

Cook cauliflower in cheesecloth to prevent scum from settling on flowers. Add 1 tablespoon of lemon juice to the water to keep the cauliflower white.

Cool and divide in separate stalks, using one stalk for each serving. Place flat on a lettuce leaf and arrange slices of cooked beets around the flower.

Sprinkle with grated cheese. Serve with French dressing flavored with a few drops of onion juice and celery pepper.

MACARONI SALAD.

One and one-half cups cooked macaroni, 1½ cups diced celery, 1 Spanish onion, 1 tablespoon minced parsley, mayonnaise dressing.

Boil macaroni in salted water until tender. Grate onion and mix with macaroni. Let stand till cold. Add celery and let stand an hour.

Mix with mayonnaise to make moist, sprinkle with parsley and serve on lettuce. Slices of pepper stuffed olives may be used as a garnish.

BANANA AND PEANUT SALAD.

Put shelled peanuts through the food chopper. Remove peel from bananas and scrape with the dull edge of a knife. Allow one small banana for each person.

Roll bananas in ground peanuts. Serve on a leaf of lettuce with boiled dressing or mayonnaise. A very good cheap salad.

The bananas must be scraped or the peanuts will not stick. The scraping also removes the coating so many persons find difficult to digest.

DATE AND ALMOND SALAD.

One pound dates, 24 almonds, 2 tablespoons grated cocoanut, 1 lemon 1 bunch parsley.

Stone and chop dates. Blanch almonds and brown in a hot oven. Chop and add to dates. Mix with mayonnaise dressing and set aside to chill.

When ready to serve divide in portions, sprinkle with cocoanut and garnish with thin slices of lemon and bits of parsley. This salad need not be served on lettuce.

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Paint And Old Stains.

Fresh paint stains yield quite easily to either turpentine or benzine. Turpentine is, of course, the less pleasant to work with on account of the odor, and unfortunately, the oder clings for some time after the garment has been cleaned with it.

Ether is effective for old paint stains. However, if the stains are too obstinate, it may be necessary to first soften them with vaseline, castor oil or even butter.

After letting them stand with the softener on for about a half hour, scrape off all of the paint possible. Then clean with the regular solvent like turpentine or benzine.

Occasionally red oil paint is especially obstinate. In that case mix, in equal proportions, carbon tetrachloride, acetic ether and rectified fusel oil.

Olive Oil—When the stain is made by the clear oil it can be removed with bezine or carbon tetrachloride. If the oil is mixed with vinegar the same cleaning mediums may be used, but a ring will be left. This is practically unavoidable.

Paraffin — Carbon tetrachloride will remove marks made on fabrics by paraffin.

MOTHER!

Open Child's Bowels with "California Fig Syrup"

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CRAMPS, PAINS AND BACKACHE

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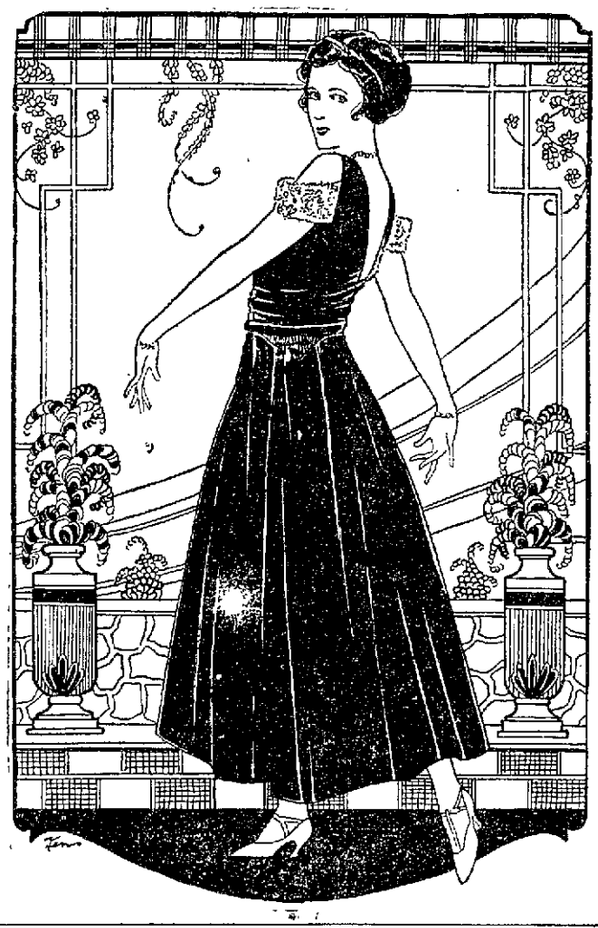
Beauty of Black Velvet and White Lace

BY MARIAN HALE.



New York, Jan. 5.—Probably no two materials can achieve the romance and Eighteenth Century loveliness of soft black velvet and white lace.

Full skirt, fitted to a slimly graceful bodice, the blackness of this Irene Castle dance frock is emphasized by a band of wholly ornamental lace falling loosely across the arms.

A different touch is the slitting and turning back of the velvet at the hips of the skirt disclosing, thus, a bit of taffeta petticoat.

A fancy of this season, and one that harks back to the days of our grandmothers, is this fashioning of tight little bodices above skirts which flare and ruffle—it's romantically old-fashioned and exquisitely dainty.

If You Are Well Bred

You will not neglect old friends for new.

You will, if you have taken part in a wedding, call upon the bride's mother shortly after the marriage.

You will, when taking a visiting guest to an ordinary reception, make it a point to present the guest to the hostess.

Sour Cream Fudge.

Cook 1 cup granulated sugar, 1 cup brown sugar, 1 cup sour cream, 2 squares of chocolate, 2 tablespoons of butter, to the soft ball state or when it forms a soft ball in water. Remove from the fire, beat well, add vanilla and nuts if desired. Pour on buttered tins to cool.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Ripping.

Use the blade of a safety razor for cutting fur. Cut on the wrong side, being sure that you do not pierce quite through and then pull apart. Ripping can be done easily with such an instrument, too.

Papier-Mache.

If you would clean the papier-mache wash the article with clear water, then dredge in flour while damp and polish with flannel.

Ovens.

Nearly every oven has a peculiarity which the cook must understand before she can get the best results. If food baked on the bottom of the oven invariably burns, try putting it on the shelf. Experiment until you find the place where the best baking can be done.

Air.

Cakes, bread and pastry need air in their composition. Thus, when you mix them, beat the materials instead of stirring them. Stirring is a slower movement which stays more with the pan, while beating lifts a portion of the mixture up in the container and takes a certain amount of air back with it.

Those Freckles

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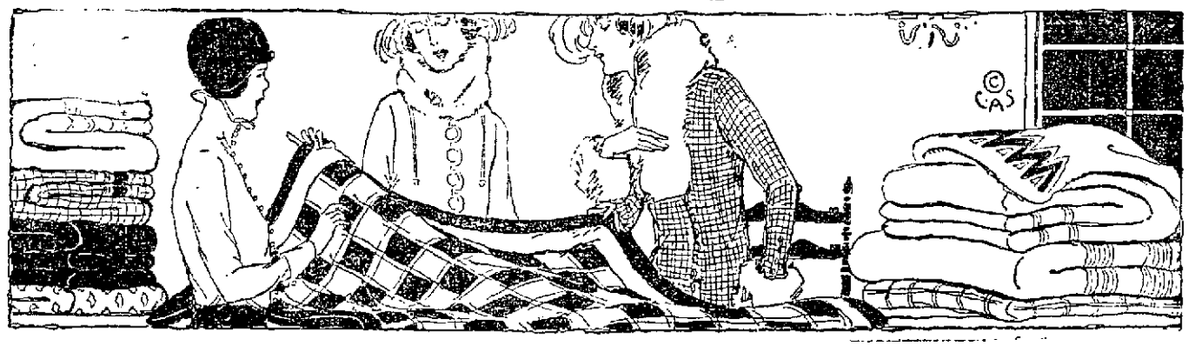

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Future for Decatur

THE DAM A REALITY

A lake fourteen miles long and three-quarters of a mile wide giving a water supply sufficient for 150,000 persons, created in 1921 by Decatur

NEXT:

More Hard Roads.
More Parks and Playgrounds.
A Forest Preserve.
Development of the City Plan.

DEATH BEFORE MUD.

At the Shoot the Well show Tuesday afternoon eight cars and sixty people were parked on one of the Twin bridges in the neighborhood. This caused a bad hour for Highway Superintendent Preston T. Hicks. It was more of a load than the bridge was designed to carry; he feared there might be a collapse, with people killed and others seriously injured.

Presumably Mr. Hicks spoke to some on the bridge and tried to warn them of the danger. It must be that no attention was paid to this, for it is not recorded that anybody moved off. The size of the reported load indicates that all standing room was occupied, and it may be that in spots they were two deep.

But the danger was there, and it was real, also it was mentioned by an expert in bridges. People took a chance on their lives rather than move on a few feet and slosh around in the mud. Perhaps some of them reflected that if they were killed the administrator would bring suit for damages.

We of this community are not always so foolish; we have interludes when we are reasonable and normal. But we don't blow off an oil well every day. It wasn't realized, however, that we had such an ingrained antipathy for mud in the middle of the road.

FROM HONEST GLOUCESTER.

The new mayor of Gloucester, that good old Massachusetts town, has many of us guessing. In a speech this week, connected with his inauguration, he told of many practices in Gloucester known by him. In these we who have been patrons of Gloucester's fish industry were made victims—they indicated we got fish branded one thing but really something else, something inferior.

We are pained to hear this. We had trusted those Gloucester folks to be entirely honest, had assumed they couldn't be anything else. They live in Massachusetts and come from families that have been there for many generations; they were the real old genuine stock.

Because of the fine tradition for honesty they had in our minds, we paid them an extra price for their fish. Perhaps many of us now have some of this on hand, and we had been thinking of ordering more. Before doing so we shall make inquiry to determine if this new mayor of Gloucester is a responsible man, or just a politician who is an accident.

MAY USE IT SOMETIME.

In a short while the senate at Washington will take up for consideration a bill "which authorizes the issuance of mileage books by railroads, interchangeable between lines or systems."

Many of us have wondered why railroads didn't do this long since on their own account and motion; it looks as if in this it should not be necessary to wait for action by congress.

However, this accommodation does not come to us while we wait. It was mentioned twenty or perhaps thirty years ago, and still it has not arrived. The government had something of the kind while it ran the roads, and it was the only good feature in that experiment. But somehow it was not passed on.

At present rates there are few people who are able to invest enough money to get a thousand-mile book, but the rates may drop somewhat and folks may get a little more spare change. When that better situation comes it will help to have the interchangeable mileage, so it is all right now to begin to talk about it.

BUT WE MUST START.

We are told there is growing up in the senate at Washington an organization or another bloc to insist that in alliances we must have one that includes all the nations or none. In this bloc, according to report, will be Democrats as well as Republicans, with a maverick or two for salt. It is a theme on which big speeches can be made.

One doesn't know just how practical the suggestion is. It is something that was contemplated and provided for in the league of nations covenant, but the United States kicked over the traces before the first quarter pole was reached.

How are we to get all the nations to go into this alliance? Then there will be a practical question of getting southeastern Europe to live up to the rules and regulations. After we get done with this it will be necessary to go ahead and try to make something out of the impossible situation that prevails in Russia.

In arranging all this it is possible that somewhere along the line a little force will be needed; and we have a lot of people who begin to throw hysterics when a thing like this is mentioned.

Perhaps some of us have a suspicion that if before doing anything we wait for an alliance to include all countries we shall never get started. And if we don't start it is hard to see how we are ever to arrive.

THE QUIET ONES.

Some times you hear it said of a man that he is a good sport, meaning to be complimentary to him. Often it doesn't mean much more than that he is a free and somewhat showy spender. And yet it is true that the sporting instinct, meaning a willingness to take a chance, is an asset to the race. Most people don't have this, and it often happens that those who do have it are quiet about it.

We have in mind the small band of men who got together recently and determined to invest $25,000 of good money in a venture to look for oil in the Decatur neighborhood. It was a good deal of money, and yet the men put it up without any noise or flourish. Surely it was a long chance, but this didn't hold them back.

And these men are not plungers, are not built that way at all. They are conservatives, some of them all the way to the bone. You can't always tell just who in the community has the real thing in sporting instinct.

ABOLISHED THE MARGIN.

On Tuesday of this week wheat in Chicago dropped as much as 7 cents a bushel. We are told that the commission houses did some wild calling for more margins. In some cases the additional margin asked was the full purchase price of the wheat.

There must have been some wild scurrying down the line when these margins were demanded. Possibly a man with $100 to spare was carrying a deal for 5,000 bushels; when they asked him to come to the front with another $4,900 he probably thought they had lost their heads. He didn't have the money, so likely was closed out.

Perhaps it would not be a bad idea to ask a trader to put up the full value of the wheat purchase he makes. There would not be as many deals, and neither would there be as many losses at the finish. The thing called "margin" looks easy and promising, but it may be only a temptation, and one with which the outsider has no business fooling.

AT THE WRONG END.

At Vandalia they have a George A. Brown who was elected county clerk in 1918 and who later was named superintendent of the State Farm. There is a feeling that he is not permitted to hold two offices, so the board of supervisors of Fayette county has adopted a resolution ousting him as county clerk. The matter is in court.

One wonders why the board ousted him as county clerk, a position to which the people elected him. This office he had first. Holding this, it may not have been proper to take the other place, but they are not ousting him as superintendent of the state farm. They are throwing him out of the job to which he appears to have a clear title and letting him keep the one he perhaps shouldn't have.

PUTTING THE SUB OUT.

We are told that France has agreed "in principle" to the proposition that submarines are not to be used to attack merchant ships, at least not to destroy them.

One trusts that this report is correct. If it is we can be pretty sure not a great many subs will be built by France. They don't amount to much in war, except for possible attacks on merchant ships; also they don't cut much figure in the ornamental line. If the men who run them must act in humane fashion they will have to find something else to do in time of stress, assuming that they really will want to help.

If we must give so much of Sister Mary's time to cooking the cereal for breakfast we'll try to get along without, for we don't want to miss other meals.

We now have the "peace" dollar with us, but we are trying to forget that old habit of carrying silver around when paper will buy as much.

If it doesn't stop raining in San Diego M. L. Deck is about to make up his mind to get back to his old stamping ground, God's country.

Constitutional convention delegates recall that when they had to go to school the thing they most enjoyed was recess.

Don't worry about Russians not liking corn as food; they are hungrier now than they used to be.

Of course when we take on the airs of an oil town we shall be able to wear them becomingly.

In the picture that shed at the oil well doesn't look like a place in which history is made.

It seems we have in town one who could lose a quarter of veal and never miss it.

Just Folks

by Edgar A. Guest.

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THE LECTURER.

I met a sad and gloomy man upon the train one day,
His face was long and solemn and his hair was turning gray,
His eyes were dim and sunken and a pallor lined his cheek,
He was the sorriest spectacle I'd seen in many a week.
"Good sir," said I, "what weight of woe is preying on your mind?"
"I'm merely thinking," he replied, "of the home I left behind."

"I have a fine and happy home, a lovely place to be,
Now look at what the tempter's voice has up and done to me
He promised me a Pullman car and rooms in fine hotels,
He said I should be feted by the leading city belles,
He said the jumps were easy ones and pleasant trips to make—
At five a. m. I quit my bed this blooming train to take!

"They routed me from Spouters Vale to dear old Oskaloose,
From Squedunk Point to Hokem Lake I rode in the caboose;
I walked the station platform until 2 a. m. to meet
The only train to get me to the next place on the sheet,
And when at last I hit the town and wished to go to bed,
'Ain't got no room,' the yawning, red-haired surly room clerk said."

"You say you have a happy home, and yet you wander far.
I take it, then," I answered him, "a traveling man you are?"
He sadly shook his weary head: "Oh no," he answer made,
"The glorious, happy, much-applauded lecture game's my trade.
But hear me now, if I survive the hazards of this trip
And get back home alive and sound, I'll throw away my grip."

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Little Benny's Notebook

I was setting at the setting room table modelling with my new modelling clay and ma was imbroidering imbroidery and pop was reeding the paper last nite and all of a suddin he started to laff loud as enything and ma sed, Reed it out loud.

Its nuthing in the paper, I jest happened to think of something funny that happened down in the office today, it was one of the funniest things I ever herd haw haw haw, sed pop.

Well tell me about it, dont sit there laffing so selfish, sed ma.

Well you see theres a little office boy down there named Cohen, ha ha ha, and today the boss got mad at him and haw haw haw he started to ball him out till he was black in the face, sed pop.

Who was black in the face, the boy or the boss? sed ma, and pop sed. The boss of corse, and ma sed, Well wats funny about that?

Let me finish for the love of Peet, Ive jest started, sed pop, well ha ha ha after the boss had balled him out for 10 minnits without coming up for air little Cohen finally speeks up and says, Treet me ruff, boss, Im Irish, haw haw haw.

Is that it? sed ma, and pop sed Certeny thats it, dont you see the joak?

You dont meen to say you call that a joak? sed ma, and pop sed Its the best joak Ive herd for munths, dont you realize the kids name was Cohen?

Well wat diffrents does that make, sippose his name was Jones, wat then? sed ma, and pop sed, You have no more sents of humor than a wild clam, absiootly none. And he slammed his hand down hard as enything rite in my modelling clay and pop was so serprized he jumped up with the clay sticking all over his hand saying, Wat the confownd it is this?

Hee hee, thats certeny funny, Willyum you certeny look redickuliss, hee hee hee who sed I have no sents of humor? Do you think it would make it eny funnier if your name was Cohen? Hes hee hee, sed ma.

Im going to the movies by myself, sed pop.

Wich he did. LEE PAPE.

Arms Conference Opening Wedge of New World Order

Seen by Statesmen As Great Success, Despite Its Minor Failures.

By Mark Sullivan.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 5.—The public generally distant from Washington must be more than a little dismayed to find some writers and others casting a balance, so to speak, on the arms conference, and coming to a tepidly comfortable conclusion that on the whole it has been a success.

The contrast between the spirit of the opening day and the spirit of these closing days is undoubtedly real, but if you look into it closely you will find that mere psychology plays a larger part in it than the fundamental facts do.

FORESEE ANTI-CLIMAXES.

Thoughtful persons foresaw the dramatic anti-climax which is the chief cause of the present rather flattened out feeling. I suspect that Hughes himself foresaw it and calmly counted it in the cost as against the advantages he gained by making his sensational opening speech.

The day that speech was made there was a famous American humorist in Washington, who remarked, with the intentional exaggeration of his role, "I'm going back home. This is going to be a bum show. They've pulled off the big murder scene in the first act."

TELLS THE STORY.

Now that sounds merely frivolous, but it tells the whole story. It is not for nothing that generations and centuries of dramatists have learned that there is a law of the human mind when it is in the role of spectator which requires that you must have the big scene in the third act or otherwise have your show flatten out in an anti-climax. Hughes and the American delegates violated this rule, and did it with their eyes open, and they are now quite serene in facing the foreseen result of an anti-climax as far as the spectators are concerned.

NOT MERELY A "SHOW."

The conference as a "show" is one thing, but as a mechanism for achieving certain results it is quite another thing. It is the conference as a show that the less thoughtful public now sees and finds a bit disappointing. If the whole thing had been reversed, if we had had all the disputes and disagreements in the opening weeks, and if, on one of the closing days Hughes should have come out with an unexpected announcement, such as that Great Britain, Japan and America had agreed to stop naval competition and take a ten-year naval holiday, then the same persons who now see the conference as a dramatic anti-climax would be seeing it as what it intrinsically it—a sensational and unprecedented success.

SMALL MINORITY.

Further than this, it is an unhappy fact that with some of those who now proclaim the conference a failure, it is a case either of temperamental pessimism or some other form of lack of kinship with the atmosphere of enthusiasm and success. The truth is that the effective opposition to success in this conference, measured in terms of population and other values, is not more than twenty per cent. If the conference were an ordinary parliamentary gathering this twenty per cent minority would be bowled over unceremoniously.

MUST BE UNANIMOUS.

But the conference is a case where decisions must be unanimous. When this limitation is remembered, the wonder is not the relatively small failures of the gathering but its great successes.

Even the failures have had the good effect of drawing out overwhelming evidence of the fundamental fact—namely, that the great majority of the peoples and governments of the world favor the purposes of the conference.

This minority that resists will find its position increasingly untenable. There will be other conferences like this; they will come soon, and in them the resistance will be a constantly diminishing factor.

About Town

A WELL-KNOWN downtown merchant the other day took occasion to iterate his New Year resolution. He is recognized as a real merchant and not merely a shopkeeper, and his resolution may be of interest and is sure to be of profit to Decatur people. The occasion was a transaction in lead pencils.

A finicky customer had found in his store just the lead pencil that suited him, a decidedly high class lead pencil at a very moderate price. The dealer remarked that the jobber would let him have only a few of them. The customer bought a dozen. Next day he went back to try to get a dozen more.

"You can have two dozen if you want them," said the merchant and the customer took two dozen.

"We have decided that this year whenever we get hold of a bargain," said the merchant, "we are going to let it go. We are not going to follow the policy of the wholesale house who sold us these pencils, eke them out among as many customers as possible. But we are going to let the bargain go as a bargain just as quickly as our customers want it. Then we will be in position to buy something else whether it is a second hand automobile or a job lot of cigars. We've got to make a living this year."

This store, by the way, claims to sell more lead pencils than any other store in Decatur. This isn't written as an advertisement, but think over the New Year resolution, of which the merchant meant every word.

"WELL, boys, the season is now open on oil wells. Let's go out and see how they shoot them," said a wag in a local barber shop Tuesday.

"THE Review didn't tell me anything new when I read it's item Wednesday night about being lopsided" said one former service man. "The lieutenant that forever drilled us always kept yelling at me to get that shoulder down and darned if I knew which shoulder it was and he never did tell me. After drill, I used to ask some of the fellows which shoulder I carried the highest but I could never remember which one it was when I started drilling again. And the lieutenant just kept on telling me to get that shoulder down and I just kept trying my luck, shifting them and trusting to luck to get the right one."

REVIEW BUREAU OF INFORMATION

Editor Review—Is there any relationship between two men, not previously related, who marry sisters? READER.

County Judge J. H. McCoy says the law states these men are related by affinity but not by consanguinity.

SHELBY COUNTY JAIL IS EMPTY

Only 66 Prisoners Held There During 1921.

Shelbyville, January 5—During the year 1921 the Shelby county jail entertained sixty-six prisoners, who were cared for by Sheriff Will Biggs, but at the present time there are no prisoners there. Between January and April of the last year eighteen prisoners were placed in the jail; misdemeanors were not so plentiful during the next three months period, for between April and June there were but nine; twenty-two entered the doors between June and September, and between September and January there were seventeen. The three young men placed there a few days ago for hunting without a license have now given bond and been released.

THEIR DISPOSAL.

John Lankford and William Taylor, two boys, were taken during the year to the reformatory at Pontiac; Ray Rickey, Floyd Smith, George Hart and Orville Cole were taken to St. Charles school for boys; Leah Stretch and Vernie Bryson were sent to the state school for girls at Geneva; Andrew Bechtel was taken to the state hospital for the criminal insane at Chester; R. H. Roberts of Sigel was taken to Chester; William Johns was sent to Chester; Oscar Lowary, Ben Arnold, Harry S. Davis, Thomas Lynch, John Miller, Thomas Lane and Ray Perrin were taken to the penitentiary at Chester in November.

LEGION INSTALLATION.

The members of the Roy Vanderpool post installed their officers for for the coming year at the American Legion hall Tuesday evening. W. L. Kelley acted as installing officer. William Klauser was presented with the official ceremonial badge as the retiring commander. The presentation was made by W. L. Kelley. It was a token of the legion's appreciation of the splendid work that the past commander has done in the post, during his commandership of two years.

THE OFFICERS.

Brief talks were made by the new officers, who are:

Commander—Dr. W. L. White.
Senior Vice-Commander—Leonard Stretch.
Junior Vice-Commander—Lucian Ruch.
Adjutant—Dr. C. H. Hulick.
Financial Officer—J. L. Tallman.
Sergeant at arms—William Hubner.
Chaplain—Rev. J. Stanley Mitchell.

COLLISION.

An automobile collision with a bus occurred on South second street Tuesday evening, when the machine driven by Floyd Waggoner collided with the bus driven by Ed Reed. Mrs. Waggoner was in the car driven by her husband and was injured in one eye by the flying glass. One of the horses hitched to the cab was injured. The rear wheel and the tongue of the cab were broken and one of the front wheels and the radiator of the car were smashed.

The Knights of Pythias lodge has moved back into their old quarters, in the rear of the Akenhead studio. The lodge has been holding its meetings in the Legion hall.

TWINS CELEBRATE.

Twin brothers, M. O. and W. O. Finks of Shelbyville, celebrated their fortieth birthday in the Finks flat. The affair was planned as a surprise by the women of the family. A two-course luncheon was served and there was a big birthday cake with forty lighted candles. Twenty-five guests joined with the family in the celebration.

IN PROBATE COURT.

May Turney Pogue of Findlay has filed a final report as guardian of Earl Turney. The report shows the receipt of $175.39 and the expenditure of a like amount.

Christian Munzenmaier has refused to act as the executor of the estate of the late George Schoch, and Charles F. Schoch will act alone. He has filed bond in the sum of $26,000, with Charles W. Rau and W. Frederick Galster as sureties.

The will of the late George Schoch of Dollville has been admitted to probate. Under its terms all the property goes to the widow, Mary E. Schoch, during her life time. At her death the property is to be divided equally among the children, Charles F. Schoch, William G. Schoch, J. Arthur Schoch and Elizabeth Menzenmaier, Fredericka Kroh, Minnie Hiler and Emma Weber, with the exception that William G. Schoch is to receive $500 more than the others, Carl Kibler and Carrie Eberspacher are to receive $100 each, and the Holyton orphanage at Holyton, Ill., is to receive $200. During the life time of Mary E. Schoch the two sons Charles F. Schoch and Edward C. Schoch are to pay $3.00 per acre for the land they farm and William G. Schoch and Walter Hiler are to pay $2.50 per acre rental on said land. The will was made September 7, 1921.

DISTRACTED.

Christian Jensen of Strasburg was found to be a distracted person and incapable of managing his affairs in Judge Steidley's court on Tuesday and the court ordered a conservator to be appointed. The jury was composed of William Klauser, W. E. Miller, J. F. Ulmer, Mike S. Fenton, F. W. Troutman and Ed Banning.

Daniel Noffke, 18 years of age, was arrested near Sigel Saturday by Deputy Sheriff Blunk of Effingham and taken to Effingham and placed in jail. The arrest was made on the complaint of Gus Laugel of Altamont, who charged him with signing his father's name, William Noffke, to a note he gave Mr. Laugel.

Ten Years Ago Today In Decatur

JANUARY 5, 1912.

Senator Robert M. LaFollette of Wisconsin spoke in the Powers theater in the interests of his campaign as Progressive candidate for president.

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The Central Church of Christ extended a call to Rev. E. W. Allen of Cincinnati, one of the big men in that church.

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William J. Wayne, formerly of the Wayne Sulkeyette Co., which for a number of years was the leading carriage building firm in this part of the country, was returning to Decatur to take charge of the finishing department of the North Main street garage.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Layman celebrated their silver wedding anniversary at their home, 809 North Main.

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It was estimated 4000 people had skated on the lake in Dreamland park in the past week.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

It was Sunday and the beginning of the week of prayer in the churches.

HOLD UP MAN SHOT AT VILLA GROVE

Finch Takes a Shot and Scares Off Two.

Tuscola, Jan. 5.—Late Wednesday afternoon a man who gave his name as Finch, of Villa Grove, called George M. Hurst, local agent for the C. & E. I. railroad in Tuscola by telephone and asked whether Mr. Hurst could ascertain if any one had applied to any of the Tuscola physicians during the afternoon for treatment of a gunshot wound. Finch stated that two men earlier had in the afternoon attempted to hold up his brother in the west railroad yards at Villa Grove.

WOUNDED ONE.

It seemed that the man Finch, against whom the attempted holdup was directed, happened to be armed with a small calibre pistol and with it he opened fire on the would-be robbers and put them to flight, after wounding one of them. Finch was sure one of the shots had taken effect in the abdomen or side of one of the men, and when they left the scene of their operations, they were headed toward Tuscola. Up to a late hour Wednesday evening nothing had been seen of the men here so far as could be learned. The Villa Grove man felt sure they would seek medical or surgical attention somewhere for the one that was wounded. Officers were notified to be on the lookout for them.

I. O. O. F. INSTALLATION.

Tuscola Lodge Number 316, I. O. O. F., held its regular installation of officers for the next term, at the meeting Tuesday night. The elective officers installed are: Noble Grand, E. E. Matthews; vice grand, F. M. Firestone; recording secretary, J. D. Payne, financial secretary, George Coley; treasurer, Hadan Shouse.

The appointive officers were all filled and the appointees installed. Following the lodge meeting an oyster supper was served in the reception rooms.

EXPLOITING HOSPITAL.

There was a meeting of the directors of the Sarah E. Jarman Memorial hospital of this city Tuesday evening, at which time the regular routine of business was transacted. The hospital is putting out a neat booklet, setting forth the history and accomplishments of the institution. The booklet is compiled by John H. Chadwick, who under the direction of William P. Jarman of Camargo, the founder of the institution, was very active in its promotion. The pages of the booklet show a number of views of the hospital grounds, and views of the building outside, as well as portions of the interior. There are pictures of Mr. Jarman and also his wife and daughter, in whose honor the hospital was named. The three are now deceased. The booklet was compiled and is being issued under instructions from the board of directors.

Boyd Goldman made a business trip to Chicago via the C. & E. I. Wednesday.

Marion Young of Newman was a Wednesday visitor here.

J. W. Davison of Charleston was in Tuscola Wednesday.

Claude Hawkins, deputy county clerk, was absent from his duties on Wednesday on account of a severe cold.

CLUB MEETING.

There is to be a general meeting of the Tuscola Woman's club Saturday afternoon, Jan. 7. The musical part of the program will be arranged by Mrs. Clara Davis. The club news will be given by Mrs. Belle Warren. There will be an address by Miss Ruth Wardall, a former Tuscola lady, who is now an instructor in the Home Economics department at the University of Illinois. Following the program there will be a social hour, at which time the members of the Home Economics Department will be hostesses.

Mayor Frank A. Warren was a Wednesday visitor in Decatur.

Misses Avis Murphey, Avis Hackett of Tuscola and Velda Meadows of Villa Grove, returned to their school work at Jacksonville Wednesday.

T. E. Dickinson was a Wednesday business visitor in Decatur.

G. L. England was in Newman Wednesday.

Mrs. C. G. Stovall who has been visiting Douglas county relatives and friends, returned Wednesday to her home at South Wanatah, Ind.

Following a blustery and stormy night on Tuesday, a heavy rain fell here early Wednesday morning, and extending well up into the day. Some lightning and thunder accompanied the rain.

ST. ELMO WOMAN DIES AT AGE OF 82

St. Elmo, Jan. 5.—Mrs. E. E. Sherwood, a highly respected woman of St. Elmo, died at her home here Wednesday, at the age of 82 years. She was the wife of a retired minister of the Methodist Episcopal church, who survives her and is 88 years old. An adopted daughter also survives.

The funeral was held Thursday from the residence, with burial in Maplewood cemetery.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Jenkins, Friday, a daughter. Mother and child are doing well.

Among those who have returned to Decatur, following holiday visits here, are Mrs. Myrtle Perdue, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith, Albert McKee, Henry Fairchild and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jones.

Mrs. Frank McKinzie is bedfast with sciatic rheumatism.

The little child of Zeke Haana is quite sick at this writing.

Otto Fairchild is out of school this week on account of sickness.

Carter Sidwell, who is afflicted with smallpox, is getting along nicely. There are no more new cases.

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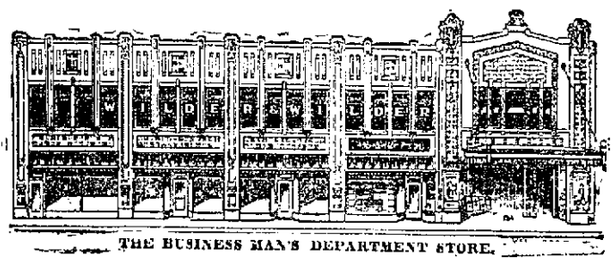

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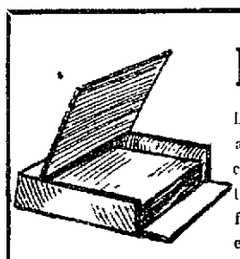

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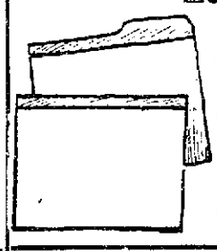

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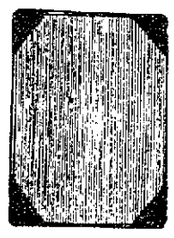
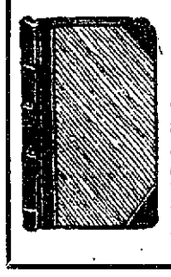


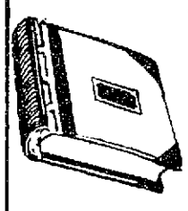
Desk Trays

Desk Trays in both wire and wood — single or to build up in stacks, from 25c up.



Blank Books

January is the time to open new books. Our stock is very complete at this time from the cheapest paper backed books to the finest bound sheep skin. Many rulings and sizes.



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Pour 2½ ounces of Pinex in a pint bottle, then fill it up with plain granulated sugar syrup Or use clarified molasses honey or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup if desired Thus you make a full pint—a family supply—but costing no more than a small bottle of ready made cough syrup

And as a cough medicine there is really nothing better to be had at any price It goes right to the spot and gives quick lasting relief It promptly heals the inflamed membranes that line the throat and air passages stops the annoying throat tickle, loosens the phlegm, and soon your cough stops entirely Splendid for bronchitis, croup, hoarseness and bronchial asthma

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IMPORTANT FACTS IN INCOME TAX

Married Man's Exemption Changes.

The Revenue Act of 1921 contains two new and important provisions, which are the subject of frequent inquiry. The first relates to the personal exemptions allowed married persons and the second to the provision requiring that a return be made of gross income of $5 000 or more

The act provides that a married person, living with husband or wife whose net income for 1921 was $5 000 or less shall be allowed a personal exemption of $2 500 If the net income of such person was over $5 000 the exemption is $2 000 Under the Revenue Act of 1918 the personal exemption allowed a married person was $2 000, regardless of the amount of net income The normal tax rate remains unchanged—four per cent on the first $4,000 of net income above the exemptions and eight per cent on the remaining net income

HOW IT IS FIGURED

In order that an income slightly in excess of $5 000 shall not be subjected to an inordinately disproportionate tax because of the reduction of the exemption to $2 000 thereon, the law provides that such reduction shall not operate to increase the tax, which would be payable if the exemption were $2 500 by more than the amount of the net income in excess of $5 000

For example On a net income of $5 010 the tax without this saving clause would be $120 40 which is four per cent on $3,010, the amount of net income less the exemption of $2 000 The actual tax is $110 40 computed as follows From the net income of $5 010 is deducted $2 500, leaving $2 510, the four per cent tax on which amounts to $100 40 To this is added $10 the amount of net income in excess of $5 000"

APPLY TO OTHERS

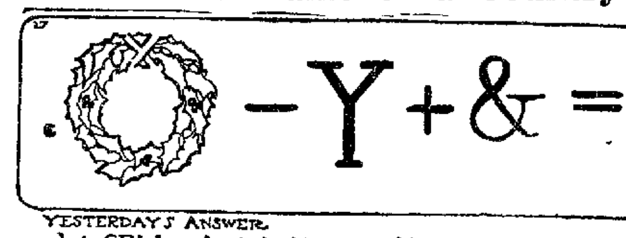
The personal exemptions allowed married persons apply also to the head of a family a person who supports in one household one or more relatives by blood marriage or adoption

Heretofore a person whose net income was less than his exemption ($1 000 if single or $2 000 if married) was not required to file a return Under the Revenue Act of 1921 if the gross income of an individual equaled or exceeded $5 000 or if the combined gross income of a married couple and that of dependent minor children equaled or exceeded $5,000, a return must be filed regardless of the amount of net income

"Net income" is gross income less certain deductions The fact that allowable deductions from gross income for business expenses, losses, bad debts, etc, may reduce the net income to an amount below the personal exemptions of $1 000 or $2 000 does not alter the requirement to file a return of gross income if such gross income equaled or exceeded $5 000.

Geographic Puzzles

This is the Name of a Country



YESTERDAY'S ANSWER.
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TALKS TONIGHT ON FIRE PREVENTION

Leon C Wolf at Y. M. C. A at 8 O'clock to Use Movie.

Leon C Wolf fire prevention expert of national reputation known as the "Firemen's Friend" will speak at the Y M C A at 8 o clock Thursday evening on fire prevention and protection using 2200 feet of film in conjunction with his lecture to illustrate the points of his speech He will give a detailed discussion of various fire extinguishers

He has installed fire schools in 56 schools over the country and each year conducts states fires school in seven states

RABBIT BANQUET ENJOYED BY ELKS

More Than 100 Present for Event Wednesday Night.

A big rabbit banquet was served to more than 100 Elks and wives at the Elk Club rooms at 7 30 Wednesday night The dinner followed the first annual rabbit hunt of the lodge last Monday when 116 rabbits were killed Monson's orchestra furnished music Entertainment was provided throughout the banquet and the spread was followed with a dance

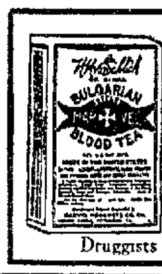
A. OF C TO ELECT OFFICERS MONDAY

222 Votes Cast in Directors' Election.

In the uncontested Association of Commerce election of directors Wednesday 222 votes were cast George Flint M C Nelson and T E O'Brien are the new members John Mc Evoy and J S McClelland were re-elected The retiring members are H S Gebhart, H W McDavid and J R Pogue

The new members and those re-elected will take their places at the meeting of the board next Monday evening, when officers for this year will be elected and reports from the secretary and the committees will be heard

An investigation and an effort to bring the matter to a solution will be made by the hard roads committee from the Association of Commerce headed by A M Kenney, as a result of an appeal made by farmers who are inconvenienced by the delay in the opening of the county bridge



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Y. W. C. A. FORUM STARTS CONTEST

Will Endeavor to Secure More Subscriptions for Association Paper.

Members of the Forum of the Y W. C A in their monthly meeting Wednesday evening at the association building, decided to start a contest for securing new subscriptions to the association paper, The Blue Triangle The Forum was divided into two groups, known as the Blue and White with Nellie Smallwood and Nina Baker as leaders The contest will continue until the next Forum meeting on Jan 25 The side which brings in the larger number of new subscriptions will be entertained at a buffet supper by the losing side

The Forum members will act as hostesses at the vesper service Sunday, Jan 29 when it is hoped to have Mrs Dan Brummit of Chicago as speaker

TELLS OF CONVENTION

Miss Margaret Winslow spoke to the girls about the Y W C A. convention to be held in the spring in Hot Springs Ark It is hoped to send a good sized delegation to the convention from here

The girls were interested in seeing the publication of the association in Shanghai China, a copy of which has been received at the local association office It is called The Blue Triangle and is about the size of the paper The Blue Triangle published by this association.

Grocery Store Robbed

The Hanks grocery store at 223 West King street was broken into Wednesday night The thief broke a window on the west side and stole 150 cigars sixteen packages of cigarets of various brands and seventy or eighty cents worth of postage stamps

Decatur Bank Conditions at Close of Business Dec. 31

Deposits in the banks of Decatur are lower than they were a few months ago, according to statements issued by the banks in response to the call from the comptroller of the currency for the condition of the banks at the end of business Dec 31 The last statements were issued on Sept 6 At that time deposits in the banks amounted to the sum of $14, 732 017 while at the close of business Dec 31 they were $13 580 689 75

Loans and discounts also show a decrease from the statements of Sept 6 At that time they were $10 697 561 while at the present time they are $9 819 202 95 Bonds and securities which on Sept 6 amounted to $3,17 956 now total $3 162 121 50

An increase is shown in the Cash Reserve At the present time it is $3 956 891 20 while on Sept 6 it was $3 922 543

A summary of the two statements follows

	Sept 6 1921	Dec 31 1921
LOANS AND DISCOUNTS		
Millikin	$ [illegible]	$ 4 170 [illegible]
National	2 130 390	2031 87[illegible]
Citizens	2 015 019	2 137 0[illegible]
Farmers	1 193 243	1 [illegible]
Decatur State	247 402	173 333 30
Total	$10 697 [illegible]	$ 9 819 [illegible]
BONDS AND SECURITIES		
Millikin	1 [illegible]	1 [illegible] 531 00
National	[illegible]	507 [illegible]
Citizens	[illegible] 15	[illegible] 24 14
Farmers	2 [illegible]	256 [illegible]
Decatur State	[illegible] 300	[illegible]
Total	3 177 9[illegible]	3 1[illegible]2 121 50
CASH RESERVE		
Millikin	1 884 018	2 070 187 40
National	1 [illegible] 478	878 990 23
Citizens	[illegible]	[illegible]
Farmers	29 [illegible]	168 344 06
Decatur State	[illegible]	11[illegible] 07 89
Total	$ 3 922 [illegible]	$ 3 956 891 20
ALL DEPOSITS		
Millikin	7 479 490	[illegible] 048 10
National	3 030 9[illegible]	[illegible]
Citizens	2 81 [illegible] 41	2 293 087 73
Farmers	1 [illegible]	1 343 339[illegible]
Decatur State	289 081	247 140 39
Total	$14 732 017	$13 580 689 [illegible]

ART EXHIBIT TO OPEN NEXT SUNDAY

Rugs and Bronzes to Be Included in Display.

Some rugs and bronzes will be included in the next Art exhibit to be shown at the Art institute They will be furnished by Decatur people and will be displayed in connection with the pictures by William Harper which are loaned by Mr and Mrs Harry Haines and others Two of the rugs which are to be exhibited at this time are said to have cost $1 000 each

This exhibit will open next Sunday afternoon W D Sneller will arrange the display

Some pictures by Mr Harper were exhibited in Decatur twelve years ago His work was much admired then, and it has grown in the esteem of the people since then

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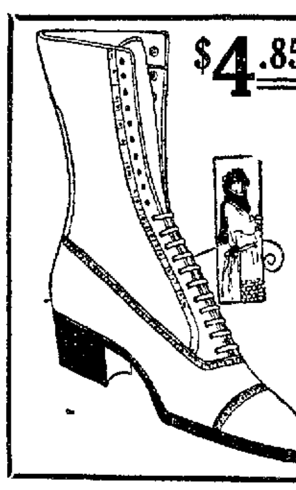

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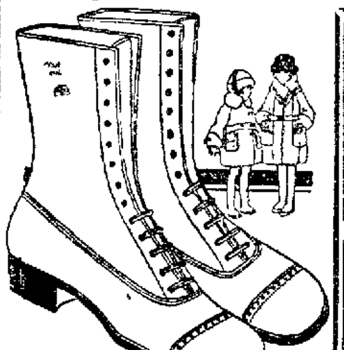

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One lot—sizes 3, 3½, 4 and 4½ in black and tan with French heels These shoes sold as high as $8 50 the pair—a remarkable value if you can wear the above sizes While they last—the pair $2.98

Men's English, medium and square toe shoes in black or brown calfskin — rubber heels attached —$7.00 values —Sale price **$4.45**

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Crash —25c grade unbleached, soft absorbent crash toweling, yd **18c**

This January COAT SALE

Is Our Greatest Achievement In Value-Giving

—BECAUSE, instead of offering the tag ends of a season's stock, that other women didn't want, we're featuring complete assortments of newly made, newly bought garments at prices LOWER than you are asked to pay for odds and ends generally. In this sale you get the coat you want at an unexampled saving.

Extra Special Group: **$39.75 Coats** *Fur Trimmed—Plain!* **$18.25**

—Coats of striking style lines skillfully developed of velours, Normandy, Bolivia, seal plushes; richly silk lined garments; fur trimmed or self collared. Values upto $39.75, choice $18.25.

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—Some are Hudson Seal plush coats—the finest ones made. Others of Normandy and Bolivia. Distinguished by fine silk linings and costly fur collars. Actually values to $54.50, at $28.25.

Hosiery —Men's, womens and childrens 15c cotton hose 2 pairs **25c**

Purses —Children silk purse metal tops 50c vals, go at each **25c**

Waists —Women's wash waists sold up to $2 50 and $2 95, choice **$1**

Gowns —All regular selling $1 50 stock of outing flannel gowns **$1**

$39.75 Suits, $10 —BEAUTIFUL, SILK LINED VELOUR SUITS, IN NAVY BLUE AND BROWN WITH REAL ASTRACHAN FUR COLLARS, SIZES UP TO 42, AT **$10**

All Skirts, ½ Price —THIS TAKES IN OUR ENTIRE LINE OF WOOL SKIRTS WITHOUT RESTRICTION. MANY BEAUTIFUL PLAIDS AS WELL AS STAPLE SERGES. WAIST SIZES UP TO 30 CHOICE OF STOCK AT HALF PRICE

Gloves —All womens and children 50c knitted gloves, a pair **25c**

Towels —Large bleached, Turkish bath towels, 45c values, each **25c**

Blankets —$2 50 wool finish, 64x76 blankets, colored border, **1.85**

Blankets —$5 50 wool finish and Nashua Wool Nap blankets a pair **$3.95**

20c Scrims, 12½c —36-in. hemstitched curtain scrim with neat border, ecru and white, regular 20c scrim, at a yard ... **12½c**

Sweaters —Broken lines womens, boys and girls' sweaters, at HALF PRICE

Umbrell's —Womens fine umbrellas of all kinds, values to $4 at **$2.49**

Gloves — Women's good black fabric gloves 25c retailers a pair **10c**

Cleaning House of Discontinued Rug Patterns In Several Room Sizes

At Bargain Reductions

—Friday and Saturday we'll have unrivaled low prices on less than 50 rugs, which, while dropped patterns, are strictly first quality and quite desirable. The values quoted are today's values.

$15, *9x12* Brussels *$10.95*
$25, *9x12* Brussels *$15.95*
$35, *9x12* Velvets *$24.75*
$45, *9x12* Velvets *$37.50*
$40, *9x12* Axminsters ... *$29.75*
$50, *9x12* Axminsters ... *$44.75*
$30, *11-3x12* Brussels .. *$21.75*
$65, *11-3x12* Axminsters, *$47.00*

25c Marquisette —36-in curtain marquisettes, in white only, make nice curtains for any room, 25c val **15c**

50c Cretonnes —36-inch beautifully patterned cretonnes for any purpose; a great selection, a yard **23c**

50c Filet Nets —Exquisite new Quaker Filet curtain nets, 36 in goods, 50c vals on sale, a yard **29c**

Linoleums Cut —$1.25 GRADE of 6 ft printed cork linoleums a square yard **79c** —$1 50 GRADE of 12 ft printed cork linoleums a square yard **89c**

Cleaning House of Our 1921 Stock of Wall-Paper ½ Price

—A grand opportunity for home owners, for landlords, for all who need wall-paper for now or for later on.

—Thousands of rolls, scores of patterns, in desirable wall-papers for all rooms, are in this sale We're making room for spring papers coming in We must have the bins Dozens of our regular customers are taking advantage of this sale to buy the papers they need for spring HALF PRICE for anything in the 1921 stock

15c wall-papers for 7½c roll
20c wall-papers for 10c roll
25c wall-papers for 12½c roll
35c wall-papers for 17½c roll
50c wall-papers for 25c roll
75c wall-papers for 37½c roll
$1 wall-papers for 50c roll

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SPORTS NEWS

Trade Made by Quinn One of Games Oddest

Gave Away a Good Minor League Club for Pitcher Dave Danforth—Will He Make Good?

BY BILLY EVANS.

What will Dave Danforth do for the St Louis Browns? Danforth, as every fan knows is the pitcher for whom the St. Louis American League club gave eight players

It was seven come eleven with Business Manager Bobby Quinn of the Browns before he was able to put over the deal

Bob originally had seven players in mind who he was willing to pass over but Manager Rowland of the Columbus club expressed a preference for eight

Danforth because of the unique trade in which he figured will go down in the baseball record as the "one man team" To secure his services the St Louis Browns were really forced to turn over a good minor league ball club

QUINN FOXY TRADER

Bobby Quinn who with Lee Fohl arranged the deal has always been regarded as a fox trader It will be recalled that it was Quinn who sent Derrill Pratt to New York for Shocker, Gideon and a few others and a lot of cash

What a whale of a deal that was for St Louis Joe Gideon proved more than a worthy successor of Pratt Shocker is today one of the best pitchers in the game

In his deal with New York several years ago Quinn received a lot of players for a few In his very latest deal he has gone to the other extreme He gives 8 for one

"If Danforth wins 15 ball games for the St Louis Browns I figure it will be a great deal from a St Louis standpoint says Quinn

FOHL IS CONSERVATIVE

"If Danforth can win me a dozen ball games I will be satisfied says Fohl The players we have included in the deal should go big in the minors but I don't believe I could figure on all of them turning in more than 12 wins

The fact that Danforth has had two trials in the American League is what caused the trade to be so widely discussed A lot of the critics figured St Louis was taking a long chance on a pitcher who had twice failed

Charley Herzog once a big league star played in the American Association with Danforth last year I asked Herzog at the New York meeting what he thought of Danforth's chances

WILL HELP ST LOUIS

"I am sure he will help St Louis said Herzog He has a great fast ball He is almost overhead when pitching against right handers and is constantly side-arming the left-handers He gets a hop on his fast ball that is most puzzling If Fohl will be satisfied with a dozen games won from Danforth he can count on that many right now

In the American League when Danforth was with Chicago he was viewed with suspicion by opposing batters In the language of the players he was a cheater That means he doctored the ball in various ways to get the old hop on his fast one

HAS LONG FINGERS

Despite this belief on the part of the players American League umpires were never able to find anything wrong with his delivery Danforth has very long fingers and a good sized hand He can almost encircle the ball This enables him to get unusual purchase on the ball which no doubt accounts for the 'zip' on his fast one

Manager Rowland who had Danforth says 'Dave is an entirely different pitcher He lost his fast ball in the American League because he was always in the bull pen warming up Likewise I want to go on record in the strongest possible manner that Danforth in no way tampers with the ball He will easily win 15 games for Fohl '

We shall see

BOWLING

The Office and the Shops each won two out of three games in the Decatur Bridge League Wednesday night the Engineers and the Draftsmen being the losers

In the Office-Engineer match Cooper with an average of 153 and Wiley with a high game of 181 led the attack Wood copped the honors in the other battle with a 158 average and a 179 high game

Thursday night Het & McC? nans meet the Gustonians while the Shuffle Tops and Hasbeens clash

ENGINEERS

Player—	1st	2nd	3rd	T	Ave
Teek (B)	113	113	11[illegible]	[illegible]	113
Blix	123	114	1[illegible]3	[illegible]	120
Carr	98	127	1[illegible]	[illegible]	131
Bramhall	140	136	1[illegible]	4[illegible]	143
Hamill	146	133	113	39[illegible]	131
Total	620	623	668	1911	

OFFICE

Player—	1st	2nd	3rd	T	Ave
Conard (B)	139	1[illegible]	1[illegible]	4[illegible]	1[illegible]9
Connolly	8[illegible]	163	1[illegible]	402	134
McKay	95	114	1[illegible]	[illegible]	110
Wiley	1[illegible]	120	181	[illegible]	141
Cooper	14[illegible]	1[illegible]3	138	458	153
Handicap	4	4	4		
Total	614	[illegible]33	[illegible]	21[illegible]	

DRAFTSMEN

Player—	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot	Ave
Johansen	112	1[illegible]0	115	337	11[illegible]
Bennett (B)	1[illegible]6	126	1[illegible]6	378	1[illegible]6
Wagner	139	131	1[illegible]	437	146
Campbell	109	1[illegible]	175	419	140
Bowling	146	16[illegible]	1[illegible]5	448	149
Handicap	12	12			
Total	634	693	[illegible]	2019	

SHOP

Player—	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot	Ave
Hagen	13[illegible]	113	1[illegible]8	4[illegible]	1[illegible]
Wood	1[illegible]3	179	135	4[illegible]	1[illegible]
Stuckey	113	132	141	386	129
Haskell (B)	155	155	1[illegible]5	4[illegible]	1[illegible]
Bruso	121	128	104	3[illegible]3	118
Total	6[illegible]	70[illegible]	691	2075	

Guess the Old Boy Likes Bull Fights

Havana Jan 5—Prize-fighting in Havana was prohibited under a decree issued Monday by Mayor de Villegas The decree characterizes prize fighting as brutal and dangerous and points out that the law which provides for fines and imprisonment for those exchanging fisticuffs on the street 'cannot sanction such proceedings even when the participants are isolated in a roped enclosure and batter each other under slight restrictions for the amusement of a crowd

COAST ELEVENS DEMAND CREDIT

Start Campaign to Put Grid Teams Before Public.

San Francisco Jan 5—The Pacific Coast has launched a definite campaign for recognition of its colleges as real factors in the football world

Sporting writers football authorities players and fans have decided that the time has passed when football meant a game played east of the Rockies and merely toyed with west of that line

They propose to force the world of amateur athletics to reckon with the far west The program for recognition of the Pacific coast includes

THEIR PROGRAM

An annual post season game between the team holding the championship of the Pacific Coast conference and the best team of the east —preferably of the Atlantic Coast to be played not under private auspices but under the auspices of the coast conference

At least one game between a California college and a middle western college during the conference season

A game between the winner of the California Stanford Big Game and one of the Big Three of the east

Open dates have been left in the schedules of practically every major coast college for 1922 which graduate managers hope to fill by signing games with eastern or middle western colleges

FEW SELECTED

Coast football followers led by sporting writers are loudly proclaiming that the coast can produce teams which will beat anything the east can offer Announcement of All American selections with the coast not given the attention it believes it should have fanned the agitation

Now that no one will place any of the Western men on the All American declared Charlie Paddock of Los Angeles champion sprinter Why doesn't the All Western team challenge Henry Farrell's or Walter Camp's All American team to a post season game

COMPARE SCORES

Some coast sport writers think it wouldn't take an All Coast team to show up the brand of football played in the east They point to the results of the Penn State University of Washington game at Seattle recently when Penn State was hard pressed to win 21 to 7 from the Washingtonians Penn State was considered a leader in the east Washington was a tail ender on the coast.

RECKLESS DRIVER FAILS TO STOP

Knocks Mrs I. G. Hitchens and Son Down in Street

Three men and a woman in a Ford car failed to help Mrs L G Hitchens and her little five year old son after the auto had struck them at the corner of Haworth avenue and West Wood street Wednesday night Mrs Hitchens and the little boy had stopped at the curb of the intersection when the auto approached cut the corner and brushed the two pedestrians Mrs Hitchens was knocked under the car and was painfully cut and bruised but not seriously injured while the little boy was knocked aside by a wheel of the car

One of the men alighted from the car pulled Mrs Hitchens from beneath then jumped back into the machine and drove away. From clues that the police have, it is believed the car belongs in the 1200 block West Macon street The injured pair were able to walk to their home

Residents at the corner say the street light was not burning at the time but it was burning when the police arrived a short time after L G Hitchens husband and father of the victims stated that he would make every possible effort to learn the identity of the reckless drivers and prosecute unless they call and apologize for their act

ARCOLA DEFEATS LOVINGTON FIVE

Arcola Ill Jan 5—The Arcola Farmers won a hard fought game from the Lovington team at the high school gymnasium here Tuesday by a score of 14 to 12

As an added feature a game was staged by two teams of Arcola business men Roy DeVoss and Frank McCann chose teams from the audience DeVoss proved to be a better man at choosing for his quintet won by a 43 to 5 count

SPORT BRIEFS.

New Orleans—Forty-seven bookmakers, together with their forty-seven cashiers, operating at the fair grounds race track, were technically arrested at the conclusion of Wednesday's racing card by being directed to report to the sheriff's office on warrants issued on information furnished by District Attorney Marr charging violation of the Locke anti gambling law

Bond was fixed in each case at $250

Boston—The Massachusetts boxing commission will suspend Johnny Wilson, middleweight champion, it was announced Wednesday, as a result of his suspension by the New York commission because of his refusal to meet Harry Greb of Pittsburgh in a bout announced for next month

St Louis—Bob Quinn business manager of the St Louis Americans intimated the club would not do its spring training at Bogalusa La as Bogalusa officials had failed to fulfill certain arrangements Quinn said he was looking for another training site in the vicinity of Bogalusa

Philadelphia—The Philadelphia National league baseball club announced Wednesday that Manager Wilhelm fifteen pitchers and three catchers would report for spring training at Leesburg Fla on March 1. When all the players report there will be more than thirty in the squad

Ann Arbor—Announcement of the marriage of Vernon H (Slicker) Parks former star Michigan pitcher to Miss Violet Bradt at Windsor Ont was received here Tuesday Parks joined the Detroit Tigers last year and pitched several games He has been sent to the Portland club for the 1922 season

New York—Heinie Groh today became a full fledged member of the New York Giants The former Cincinnati star signed a two year contract at the club office Wednesday afternoon John J McGraw vice president and manager of the club refused to state the amount of salary involved or whether Groh received a bonus for signing

Springfield—Walter J Maranville star Pittsburgh shortstop yesterday denied at his home here reports of friction between himself and Max Carey captain of the Pirates Recent stories stated that either Maranville or Carey was to be traded

St Louis—Carl Abraham 19, a bank teller yesterday was sentenced to three years in the reformatory after he confessed he utilized $21 500 of his firm's money for world's series betting He said $14 000 of the amount was sent to New York by a friend to be placed for him The friend was apprehended and $1? 500 recovered

PANA LEGION WINS FROM SOCIAL FIVE

Put Over 26 to 24 Win Wednesday—Casey High Scorer

Pana Jan 5—Taking a three point lead in the first quarter which they were able to maintain throughout the game the Pana American Legion five won a 26 to 24 game from the Decatur Socials here Wednesday night Casey was the star of the game with six field goals although Judge and Anderson each secured four

THE SUMMARY

PANA	FG	FT	TP
Casey forward	6	0	12
McTaggart forward	3	0	6
Wiseley center	2	[illegible]	7
Vogelsang guard	0	1	1
Seigert guard	0	0	0
Totals	11	4	26

SOCIALS	FG	FT	TP
Mill forward	3	2	8
Judge forward	4	0	8
Anderson center	4	0	8
Tyers guard	0	0	0
Blanchard guard	0	0	0
Totals	11	2	24

Referee—Rose (Millikin)

FORMER ILLINOIS STAR IS MARRIED

Potsy Clark Weds Chicago Girl at San Diego, Calif.

Announcement has been received here of the marriage of George Potsy Clark son of Mrs Virginia Clark of Carthage formerly star quarter back of the Illinois team and known as the greatest athlete ever turned out at the University of Illinois, to Miss Janet Mahon, daughter of Mr and Mrs Frank Mahon of Chicago The wedding took place Saturday December 31 in San Diego Calif where the bride with her parents was spending the winter It was a home wedding and after attending the Washington and Jefferson and University of California game, they returned to Lawrence, Kas where he is athletic director at Kansas University

MAJOR LEAGUES TO OPEN ON APRIL 12

154 Game Schedule Will Close on First Day of October.

French Lick, Ind Jan 5—April 12 was selected as the opening date for the American and National baseball leagues at a meeting of the schedule committee here Wednesday The season will end October 1, the schedule calling for 154 games The schedule committee completed its work today Presidents Heydler of the National League and Johnson of the American League, William Harridge secretary of the American League and Barney Dreyfuss, president of the Pittsburgh club of the National League comprise the committee which drew up the schedules

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Hard Contests Listed for Decatur Quintets

Both Decatur High and Millikin Face Stiff Foes In Their Next Contests.

BY HOWARD V. MILLARD.

With the vacation days now history for both the Decatur high and Millikin athletes their attention is turned to the long campaign of basketball contests which face them until March

Decatur high will be the first to swing into action and the red and white tossers have a regular man's size job cut out for them this week end Friday night the Muirmen travel to Bloomington for a game with the long time rivals while on Saturday night Urbana comes here for a contest on the local floor

Bloomington with long John McGee back in the game this year is expected to show a better tossing aggregation than last year and should prove the hardest of the two games

Guy Morrison has had his men working this week with the Decatur game in view and will be prepared for the local team

If the local athletes are able to connect with the hoop like they were Wednesday afternoon at practice the Bloomer fans will see more basket shooting than is usually put out by a prep five

The men simply couldn't miss the net and all of the 18 players on the floor came through with long sinkers Muir had the men out at Millikin Tuesday for a drill against Wann's proteges and the high schoolers made a very good showing Mahan is coming along in good style and may crowd one of the other regulars to the side lines

Carswell the former Streator boy who has been counted on for this season's team is to move to Evanston according to the dope at the local school and Muir will not have his services. He has been bothered with an injury in the early season work but Muir was hoping he would be available for the rest of the campaign

MILLIKIN'S TOP

Millikin swings into action Monday night with St Viator and if we do not miss our guess the local fans will see one of the best games on the home floor this season

St Viator has a veteran five and if there is anything the Bushell tribe would like to do it is knock off Millikin They have always shown a good scrappy quintet but like many other fives have fell by the wayside when time to meet the Wannmen

Basketball critics at Illinois were to give the Millikin defensive play a number of boosts the first of the week and predicted that the local five would make the going tough for both Wesleyan and Knox Too much long shooting seemed to be their only objection to the local style of play

FRAZEE-GRIFFITH UNABLE TO AGREE

In Trade of Players—Mack Not Consulted.

New York Jan 5—A hitch in the proposed trade by which Roger Peckinpaugh late of the Yankees would become manager of the Senators and Joe Dugan of the Athletics go to Boston develop d today at a conference between Clark Griffith owner of the Senators and Harry Frazee of the Red Sox

Griffith came to New York especially to talk over the deal with Frazee and returned to Washington without any understanding

The trade was said to include sending Dugan to the Red Sox and Joe Judge and Outfielder Bing Miller to the Athletics Other players also were reported to be involved The hitch developed when Frazee asked more players than Dugan for Peckinpaugh

CONNIE MACK TALKS.

San Antonio Tex Jan 4—Connie Mack manager of the Philadelphia Athletics here for the day, said this morning he had not been consulted about the reported three cornered deal between Philadelphia Boston and Washington involving the services of Joe Dugan of the Athletics

He said Dugan did not want to play in Philadelphia when he last talked to him and that possibly he will be 'gotten rid of but that if he will play in Philadelphia the Athletics have no desire to part with him

HOMER QUINTET HAS NOT TASTED DEFEAT

Looking For Games With Some of the Stronger Teams

Homer Ill Jan 5—Porter Micks Independent basketball team of this place has not met defeat this season in seven games and are looking for some strong competition They have defeated Sidney 63 to 26 and 59 to 19 Danville K of C 18 to 14 and 40 to 12 Alvin 40 to 14 St Joseph 30 to 21 Champaign 42 to 4

The following games are to be played by the local five

Jan 6—Perrysville Ind
Jan 10—Catlin
Jan 14—Fithian
Jan 17—Urbana Apaches
Jan 24—Isabel
Jan 31—Fithian
Feb 3—Isabel

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DECATUR MAN HAD BILIOUS SPELLS

Crossing Flagman for the Wabash Railroad was Bilious. Nervous and Tired Out All the Time—Had Rheumatism Over His Whole Body.

Mr F J Dines a Crossing Flagman for the Wabash Railway and who lives at 916 N Union St, Decatur Ill makes the following statement — For quite a while I have been very bilious head swimming like a top and so giddy at times I could hardly stand up

Every bone in my body ached from rheumatism and I could sleep but little My stomach was all upset and I didn't enjoy anything I ate

"Though I've only taken one bottle of Dreco I feel like a new man My liver has been cleansed of all excess bile so I never have any of those dizzy spells my stomach is in fine condition enabling me to eat and enjoy three good meals a day I sleep like a top and all the pain has gone What Dreco has done for me it can do for others so I will gladly tell my friends about it '

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PURPLE STILL HOPE ROCKNE WILL ACCEPT

Robertson and Brickley are Two Also Mentioned for Job

Knute Rockne Notre Dame coach may be head football coach at Northwestern University next Fall The famous Notre Dame mentor has not rejected the offer tendered some time ago and the Purple still entertains hope that he will accept the place Until Rockne definitely announces his decision which is expected within a few days, no Northwestern mentor will be engaged Northwestern has not formally tendered the position to any one other than Rockne although others are considered for the place should Rockne decline it Chief among the other possibilities are Charley Brickley former Harvard grid star and later Fordham coach and Harry Robertson Syracuse freshmen mentor

New Champion.

Wanganui New Zealand Jan 5—Darcy Hadfield won the world's sculling championship from Richard Arnst over a three and one fourth mile course on the Wanganui river Hadfield won by 6 lengths His time was 19 minutes 46 seconds

Clinton's New Leader

Clinton Ill Jan 5—Carl Isenbart star halfback of the local high school team will lead the 1922 eleven on the field of battle The well known athlete was named by his mates at the annual banquet the other night

STEPHENS AUTOS MAKE PRICE CUT

Moline Ill Jan 5—Further price reductions ranging from $105 to $200 on various models are announced today by the Stephens Motor Works of the Moline Plow company.

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Monticello Jan 5—More than 3 000 persons attended the drawing in Monticello Wednesday afternoon The Buick touring car was received by Ollie Plankenhorn the diamond ring by Milton Vaughn, the chest of silver by William Stiverson the set of dishes by John Dresback and the wrist watch by Albert Priebe All the winners were Monticello residents

Mr and Mrs Lewis Fowler entertained Mr and Mrs Charles Weaver of Monticello and Mr and Mrs Fred Muir and Ralph Muir of Chicago a dinner Friday

Mrs Rosa Vaughn and little daughter of Champaign visited friends here Wednesday

Mrs Mary Flannigan of White Heath is the guest of her cousin Mrs Fred Dresback and husband

Will Duvall and family have moved from the Payne Harris property on East Grant street to the Charles Schmidt property on East Lincoln street

Les Jones of Bloomington was a Monticello visitor Tuesday

The prayer service for Thursday evening will be held at the Presbyterian church Subject will be Home Missions

Emory Warner is in Chicago on business He expects to be gone several days

Arthur and Fred Knop of Mansfield spent the latter part of last week with Mr and Mrs Lewis Fowler

ENLARGED BUSINESS

During the administration of Ed Maffit as postmaster for the last eight years the Bement post office has more than doubled its business The year 1921 was the greatest of all with more than $6 000 worth of business in the twelve month

Herrick Tipplt son of Clint and Mattie Tipplt who has developed a case of double pneumonia, has taken a turn for the better

MANSFIELD PATIENT LEAVES HOSPITAL

Mansfield Jan 5—Mrs Ross Cool who recently underwent an operation for the removal of her tonsils at a Decatur hospital was able to return to the home of her mother Mrs Mary McIntyre where she will remain for a few days before returning home

Mrs Emery Wack has returned to her home near Frankfort Ind after spending the holidays with her parents Mr and Mrs William Clemans

Ed Moore of Leslie Can is the guest of his aunt Mrs James Beazley west of town He will work for Harry C Baum man next summer When he left Canada just before Christmas the temperature was forty five degrees below zero

The regular meeting of the city council was held in the town hall Monday night

Dick Dever and James VanGorder were in Monticello Monday

A number of the farmers in this vicinity butchered Monday

Professor Rietz visited friends here Saturday evening enroute to Iowa City, Ia where he is a professor in the university

HAND IN SLING

Master George Kirk cut his hand last week and it was necessary to take several stitches He is carrying it in a sling

Mrs Ethel Garver is visiting relatives in Chicago

Mrs Frank McCall has been confined to her bed for a few days

Olan Boothe of Trilla visited his brother-in-law Lor Gordon the first of the week

Mr and Mrs George Wi?ney of Bement visited their daughter Mrs Floyd Steels over Sunday

Mrs W G Collins of Farmer City and sons Ed Collins of Schenectady N Y and Dick Collins and wife of Canada visited Mrs Reuben Parr and Mrs Martha Ruckman Sunday afternoon

AID IS PROSPEROUS

Thirty five women attended the M E Ladies Aid [illegible] of Mrs [illegible] The retiring treasurer Mrs F A Ross reported more than $1 100 in the treasury The next meeting will be with Mrs Bert Vaughan in February

Mrs Coffman of Mahomet spent Sunday with her sister Mrs R Parr

Sterling Matthews has resigned his position as manager of the Farmers elevator His successor has not been named

The K of P's held their regular meeting Tuesday evening

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Today's Sport Angle

By Billy Evans

The Washington and Jefferson-California game is over, and Coach Neale's eleven has proved that all the supermen in football are not on the Pacific Coast.

The game has also demonstrated that W. & J. has a better team than most of the critics gave it credit for, or else California wasn't as strong as the advance notices made us believe.

Washington and Jefferson was robbed of a victory because of one of the toughest breaks a football team could possibly get, the calling of an off side play, as a touchdown is scored.

Shortly after the game had started Halfback Brenkert ran 40 yards for a touchdown. The score was not allowed because one of the officials ruled a W. & J. player was off-side. That score would have given the eastern eleven victory had it been allowed.

All of which brings us to the real reason for this story. The life of a college football official is no longer a soft job. Once upon a time the colleges accepted the rulings of the officials without comment. Those were the happy days for the officials but they no longer exist.

Off-side and holding plays are a question of judgment purely. They are similar to the ball and strike or the out and safe decisions of the baseball umpire. The baseball official reaches a decision and gives it. Often he is the only person in the ball park who takes that view.

Often one important ruling gets a football official in bad. A ruling similar to the one that kept W. & J. from defeating California has caused many an excellent official to be scratched by the college so penalized.

Last fall I saw a famous eastern official render such a ruling. I talked to him in his dressing room after the game. The first thing he said to me was:

"That turned out to be a tough ruling when I called that player for holding. It was the worst bit of holding I have seen in many a game. Since it kept one of the teams from winning the game, that college will have no further use for me for a couple of years."

Football officials are agreed upon usually by the contending teams. A ruling that beats a college out of an important game is certain to eliminate that official from working for that particular college for years.

This fact was brought out at the recent meeting of college football officials in New York. E. K. Hall, chairman of the intercollegiate football rules committee, made the following sensational statement:

"Football officials are intimidated by certain colleges and led to shut their eyes to infractions of the rules because they are warned that infliction of penalties would cause them to be barred from games played in by these institutions."

If the spirit of sportsmanship is dying out in the colleges, I wonder where one is going to look for it.

JUNIOR QUINTETS IN FIRST BATTLE

Roosevelt and Central to Clash at D. H. S.

PROBABLE LINEUP.

ROOSEVELT	POS.	CENTRAL
[illegible]	F	Mitchell
[illegible]	F	Robbins
Reeves	C	J. Loeb
Hall	G	Fleming
Bradley	G	Briggs

Referee—Leo Johnson (Millikin)
Time—8 P. M.
Place—D. H. S. Gym.

A packed house and a battle royal is promised for the D. H. S. gym tonight at 8 o'clock when the Roosevelt and Central junior high school quintets meet in the first of a three game series.

Neither of the teams has met defeat this season. Roosevelt has won in their two engagements against Blue Mound and Hammond while Central took Cerro Gordo to a 14 to 8 beating in their only game to date.

LINEUPS DOUBTFUL

Coach McClure of Roosevelt and Beck of Central were somewhat uncertain as to their final choice of men to start the game this evening but the above lineups will not be very far off according to the two mentors.

Lowdybush and Harold are two good men with the Roosevelt five and if they do not start will no doubt see service before the contest is finished. The same can be said of Merriman, Greenwood and Hendrickson of the Central quint.

Most of the players on the two teams have battled in the Ward School League in previous years and there will be plenty of [illegible] displayed.

[illegible] use of the large [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] it is expected that the D. H. S. gym will be taxed to its capacity for the first game of the series.

COLLEGE CHATTER

When Walter Camp selected Smith of Lafayette, Devine of Iowa and Muller of California on his All American team it was the first time that [illegible] from these institutions has [illegible] so honored.

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[illegible] Tennessee [illegible] have a tryout with the Navy [illegible] this spring. [illegible] Killinger, the star of Penn State's football team, and Harry Haines, who was the big noise in 1920.

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[illegible] to be sure to have a place on the Navy's schedule in 1922. The [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] as the Centre [illegible] is some season [illegible] [illegible] explained will play at Annapolis Oct. [illegible]

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University of Michigan is first authorized a summer school for athletic coaches and have made Coach Yost its [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] instruction in all branches of college athletics.

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O'Hearn, who played a star game at quarterback for Yale last season, is out with an injured knee. He sustained a muscle rupture [illegible] hockey game and is out for the rest of the season. Yale expects big things from him in football.

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The University of Washington baseball team recently completed a four months' tour in the Orient. Most of the games were played with Japanese college teams. Twenty-three games were won out of 31 played.

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The University of Pittsburgh plans big things in baseball. With the college team representing that institution on the diamond will make southern and eastern trips next year.

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Long Jaunt

Ames, Ia., Jan. 5—The Iowa State College two mile relay team which broke the American record last May at the Drake relay carnival will take a three weeks' trip into the East in order to play announced by Track Coach A. T. Smith here recently.

The second plan of the annual race between the Ames quartet and Notre Dame will be held Jan. 27 at the Illinois A. C.'s indoor meet at Chicago. Yale or Harvard will be met at the Madison Square Garden meet staged by the Millrose A. A. Feb. 1. On Feb. 4 the Ames quartet will meet another strong Eastern team at Boston at the annual indoor carnival of the Boston A. A.

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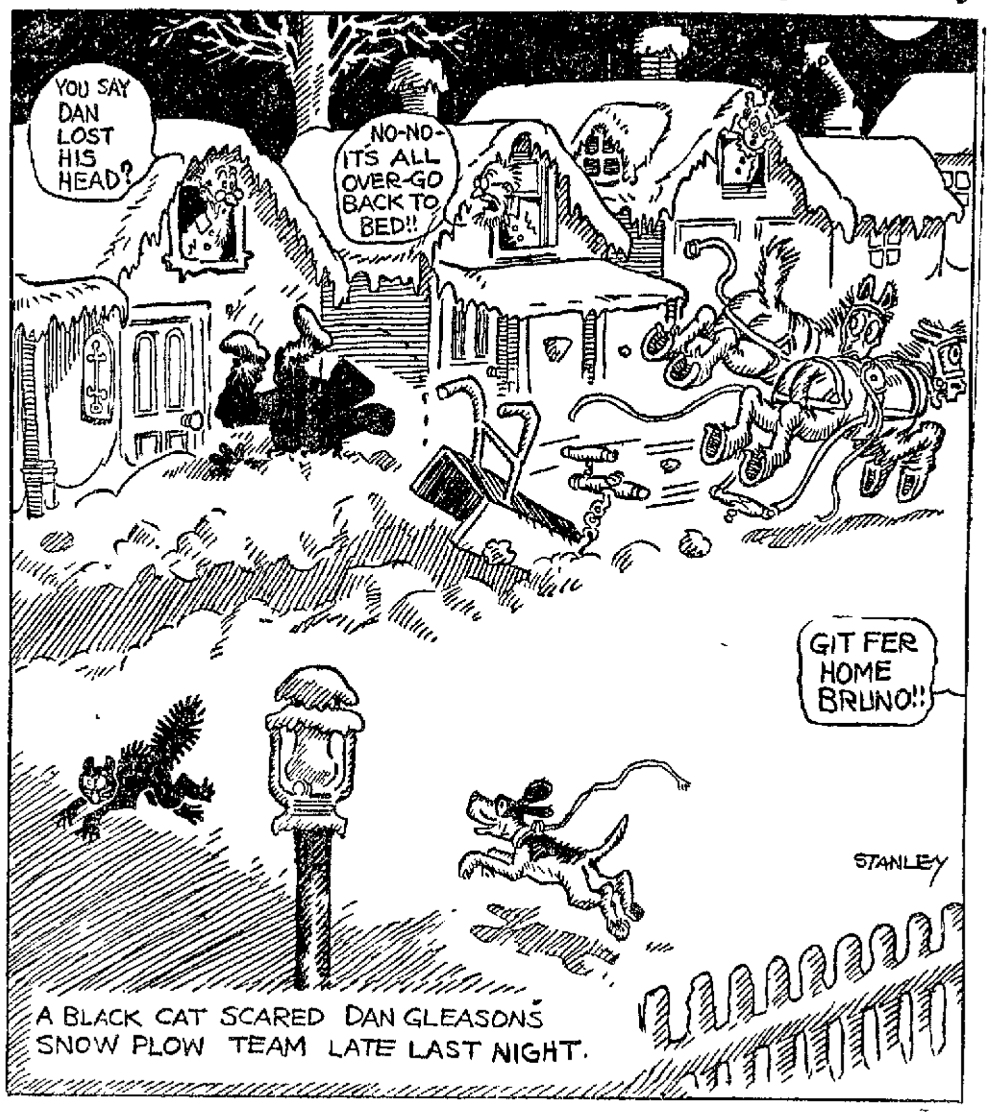
Stage Double Header

[illegible], Ill., Jan. 5—Two games will be played here Friday night when Coach McWherters first and second high school teams meet the Villa Grove quintets.

THE OLD HOME TOWN By Stanley



The Screen

A band of a hundred former Villa followers was hired for atmosphere in Gloria Swanson's latest picture, Her Husband's Trademark. Director Sam Wood, his technical staff and cast including Miss Swanson, Richard Wayne, Stuart Holmes and Clarence Burton went to the Mexican Border thirty five miles West of El Paso to film some stirring scenes with the bandits.

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The tragedy inevitable when a father dearly loving his son becomes the son's rival for a fickle woman's love is the basis of Pola Negri's next role seen in this country, a UFA production cryptically called "The Last Payment."

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Tom Forman, Stallings, the artist producer, has returned to the Paramount West Coast studio with several new stories tucked away in his grip and tentative plans for several pictures which he will make during the coming year. No definite announcement as to what the stories are will be made at this time but the star will be Betty Compson.

Theodore Kosloff, who plays a leading role in "The Lane That Had No Turning," Agnes Ayres' star picture, has to fight a very exciting duel with heavy swords in the photoplay, his opponent being Mahlon Hamilton.

It is interesting to note that Kosloff has three medals for fencing with the rapier won in Russia from French and Italian schools.

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The temple of Wat Chang, laboriously reproduced on a mamoth scale in California for scenes in "Fool's Paradise," Cecil B. DeMille's picture, has a history strange even among the ever strange of the Orient, according to Mrs. Florence Meehan, Siamese expert who supervised the Siamese details of the reconstruction.

At Washington U.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 5—The Mississippi valley interscholastic track and field meet will be held here on May 21, Coach Rider of Washington University announced today. He also announced that the invitation basketball tournament for high schools in this section would take place here March 9, 10 and 11.

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Chicago, Jan. 5—Following is the range of prices with yesterday's close:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes
RYE—					
May	84 @.....	84⅝	82⅝	84	84⅛
WHEAT—					
May	...111½@111¾	112½	110¾	112	111½
July	...101¼@101	101⅞	99¾	101⅝	101
CORN—					
May	... 53½@.....	53½	52⅝	53⅛	53⅛
July	... 54⅝@.....	54⅝	54⅛	54⅝	54⅛
OATS—					
May	... 38⅛@ 38⅝	38½	37⅞	38⅛	38⅛
July	... 39 @.....	39⅛	38⅝	38⅞	38⅞
PORK—					
Jan	.....	....	....	1500	1500
LARD—					
Jan	... 865@.....	867	865	867	865
May	... 905@ 910	910	903	907	905
RIBS—					
Jan	.....	....	....	780	772
May	... 790@.....	800	795	797	792

ST. LOUIS FUTURES.

St. Louis, Jan. 5—	Close
May wheat	109⅞
July wheat	99⅞
May corn	54⅞
July corn	55¾
May oats	39

LIVE STOCK

Cleveland Live Stock.

Cleveland, Jan. 5—Bower and Bower report: Hogs, receipts 2,000 head; top $8.50; cattle, receipts 350 head; steady; $8.00; sheep, receipts 500 head, steady; $1.50; lambs, receipts 500 head; steady; $12.00; calves, receipts 200 head; strong; $12.50.

Chicago Live Stock

Chicago, Jan. 5—CATTLE—Receipts 10,000 head; beef steers active; mostly steady to strong; better grades beef steers and fat heifers higher; choice yearlings $10.00; choice heavy bullocks $9.50; stockers and bulls steady; veal calves 25 to 50c higher; bulk vealers $8.75@9.00; stockers and feeders steady.

HOGS—Receipts 37,000 head; active, 15 to 25c higher than yesterday's average; spots up more; shippers bought liberally, big packers doing nothing; top $8.00 for hogs averaging 160 and down; bulk of sales $7.10@7.60; pigs steady to 25c higher; bulk desirable $7.10@8.00.

SHEEP—Receipts 12,000 head; killing classes steady to 25c higher; fat lambs top early $12.00; some held higher; choice clippers $10.50; prime 95 pound yearlings $11.00; fat ewes top $6.00; best not sold.

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CITY ADVERTISING.

FINAL SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that the City Council of the City of Decatur, Illinois, having let the contract for the construction of water mains in South Maffit Street, First Street, Clay Street, Johns Street, Sedgwick Street, Decatur Street, Lawrence Street, Waltmer Street and Moore Street, together with the necessary fire hydrants, valves, extension valve boxes, special fittings and appurtenances, and the same having been completed and accepted by said Council on the third day of January, A. D. 1922, and said Council having filed in the County Court of Macon County, Illinois, on the fourth day of January, A. D. 1922, a certificate showing that the said improvement conforms substantially to the requirements of the original ordinance for the construction of the same, the costs thereof, the amount estimated by them to be required to pay accruing interest on bonds and vouchers issued to anticipate collection of the assessment for said improvement, a hearing will be had on said certificate as to the truth of the facts stated therein, at the County Court Room in the Court House in the City of Decatur, on the twentieth day of January, A. D. 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit.

All persons desiring may file objections in said Court before said day and may appear on the hearing and make their defense.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this fourth day of January, A. D. 1922.

CHARLES M. BORCHERS, Mayor.

ALEX VAN PRAAG,
J. W. MONTGOMERY,
JOHN F. MATTES,
HARRY RUTHRAUFF,
Commissioners, City Council of the City of Decatur, Illinois.

RALPH J. MONROE, Corporation Counsel.

CITY ADVERTISING

NOTICE FOR BIDS.

Sealed bids will be received by the City Council of Decatur, Illinois at the City Clerk's office in the Court House from this date until the 12th day of January A. D. 1922 at ten o'clock A. M. for the purchase by said City of one fire department automobile wagon, equipped with six cylinder motor, pneumatic tires, seven hundred fifty gallon pump, forty gallon chemical tank, reel placed parallel with body of said wagon with capacity for two hundred fifty feet of chemical hose, one twenty four foot extension ladder, and one twelve foot roof ladder, said wagon to have carrying capacity for twelve hundred fifty feet of two and one-half inch hose.

The above specifications are the minimum requirements for said fire department wagon, and bidders shall designate in their bids the specifications and equipment as to the wagons offered and priced for sale in their bids.

The Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids, or to accept the lowest and best bid for the best wagon, including the above designated equipment or any additional equipment, which said City Council shall consider appropriate and proper for the purposes of the fire department of said city.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 31st day of December A. D. 1921.

(SEAL) R. B. ZEIGLER, City Clerk.

Peoria Live Stock.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 5—HOGS—Receipts 1,500 head; steady, top $7.50; lights and mediums $7.35@7.50; heavies $7.00@7.25; packing $5.25@6.00.

CATTLE—Receipts 100 head; steady.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 5—CATTLE—Receipts 4,000 head; she-stock steady to strong; most cows $3.75@4.25; bulk heifers $4.50@6.00; other classes around steady top steers $8.00; most canners $2.25@2.50; bulk cutters $2.00@2.30; good heavy butchers $4.00@4.25; top vealers $9.00; practical limit $8.50; medium to good stockers $5.25@6.25.

HOGS—Receipts 3,000 head; open to shippers 10@20c higher; closed to packers mostly 15@25c higher; spots more; bulk 140 to 180 pounders $7.35@7.40; 190 to 250 pound weights $6.90@7.20; bulk of sales $6.75@7.35; packing sows 25c higher; bulk $5.50@5.75; stock pigs steady to 10c higher.

SHEEP—Receipts 4,000 head; killing classes unchanged to 25c higher; 5 loads fed western lambs $11.25.

East St. Louis Live Stock.

East St. Louis, Ill., Jan. 5—CATTLE—Receipts 2,200 head; steers steady; light yearlings, canners and cutters slow; fat cows steady; veal calves steady; bulk $8.50@9.00; top $9.00, stockers scarce and steady.

HOGS—Receipts 12,000 head; active, strong to 10c higher; best killing grades up most; top $8.10 on light lights; bulk 180 pounds and down; shippers $7.85@8.00; butcher top $7.70; bulk 190 to 220 averages $7.50@7.65; packers steady; pigs strong to higher; $6.50@7.10; quality good to medium.

SHEEP—Receipts 650 head; active; best fat lambs steady to 5c higher, others and sheep strong; lamb top and bulk $11.85 paid by packers for choice westerns; medium to good natives brought $11.00; bulls going $8.00@8.50; ewes $1.00@4.50 with few here.

PRODUCE

New York Sugar.

New York, Jan. 5—Raw sugar firmer; Cubas advanced 1 2-3; equal to 3.65 for centrifugals. Refined unchanged. 4.80 to 4.90 for fine granulated.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Jan. 5—BUTTER—Lower; creamery extras 35c; firsts 29@34c; seconds 26@28c; standards 33c.

EGGS—Higher; receipts 4,722 cases; firsts 40c; ordinary firsts 35@36c; miscellaneous 37@39c; refrigerator firsts 31@33c.

POULTRY—Alive; higher; fowls 26@27c; springs 25c; turkeys 35c, roosters 16c.

POTATOES—Stronger; receipts 21 cars; total U. S. shipments 548; Wisconsin round white sacked $1.75@2.00 cwt; bulk $1.60@2.05 cwt; Minnesota round white bulk $1.75@1.85 cwt; Michigan $1.85@1.95 cwt; Idaho russets sacked $2.10 cwt.

New York Produce.

New York, Jan. 5—BUTTER—Unsettled; receipts 12,582 pkgs; creamery, higher than extras 40@41c; creamery extras (92 score) 38@39c; creamery firsts (88 to 91 score) 35@38c; packing stock current make No. 2, 23c.

EGGS—Irregular; receipts 20,324 cases; fresh gathered firsts 41@42c; New Jersey hennery whites fancy candled selections 58c; nearby and nearby western hennery whites firsts to average fancy 49@50c.

CHEESE—Steady; receipts 1,841 boxes; state whole milk flats fresh average run 20@21c; state whole milk flesh twins average run 20@21c.

POULTRY—Live; firm; chickens 25@28c, fowls 25@30c; roosters 17c. Dressed quiet and unchanged.

GRAIN

Peoria Cash Grain.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 5—CORN—Receipts 48 cars, unchanged; No. 3 white 46@46½; No. 2 yellow 47c; No. 3 yellow 45c; No. 4 yellow 44½c; No. 5 yellow 43½c.

OATS—Receipts 9 cars; unchanged; No. 2 white 35c; No. 3 white 33½c.

Toledo Seeds.

Toledo, Jan. 5—CLOVER—Cash: 14.00; January 13.65; February 13.70; March 13.50; April 12.60.

TIMOTHY—Cash and January 3.12½; February 3.17½; March 3.25.

St. Louis Grain.

St. Louis, Jan. 5—WHEAT—Cash steady to one higher; No. 2 red 1.23; No. 3 red 1.17@1.18½; No. 2 hard 1.16; No. 3 hard 92.

CORN—Steady to ½ higher; No. 2 47; No. 3, 46, No. 4 45½; No. 1 yellow 48; No. 2 yellow 47½; No. 3 yellow 46½; No. 4 yellow 45½; No. 2 white 46½; No. 3 white 46½.

OATS—½ to one cent higher; No. 2 white 37½@38; No. 3 white 35½@37; No. 4 white 35½.

Chicago Cash Market

Chicago, Jan. 5—WHEAT—Cash: No. 3 red $1.15, No. 2 hard $1.07½@1.07½; No. 3 hard $1.04½.

CORN—No. 2 mixed 47½@47¾c; No. 3 mixed 46@47c; No. 4 mixed 44½@45½c; No. 2 yellow 47½@48c; No. 3 yellow 46½@47c; No. 4 yellow 44½@45½c. No. 2 white 47½c; No. 3 white 46½@47c; No. 4 white 44½@45½c; sample grade white 41½@43½c.

OATS—No. 2 white 35½@37c; No. 3 white 33@34½c; No. 4 white 32½@33½c.

RYE—Nominal.

BARLEY—71@90c.

CLOVER SEED—12.50@18.50.

TIMOTHY SEED—5.00@6.10.

PORK—Nominal.

LARD—8.07.

RIBS—7.25@8.25.

Kansas City Cash.

Kansas City, Jan. 5—WHEAT—Cash: No. 2 hard $1.03@1.12; No. 2 red $1.12@1.13.

CORN—No. 2 white 41½c; No. 2 yellow 42½c.

OATS—No. 2 white 32@32½c; No. 2 mixed 33@34c.

STOCK EXCHANGE IN UNSTEADY SESSION

Rallies and Reactions Alternate.

New York, Jan. 5.—Alternate rallies and reactions occurred during the morning hours of the Stock Exchange today. Shorts were prompted to cover on the continued ease of money, call loans opening at 5 per cent but dropping almost immediately to 4½.

Reports that progress was being made in the proposed merger of independent companies was accompanied by gains of 1 to 2½ points in the steel group, notably Lackawanna, Vanadium, Republic and Gulf states. Equipments, metals, tobaccos and utilities also rose 1 to 3 points.

Oils were disposed to strengthen but lost ground before noon. Mexican petroleum being subjected to pronounced pressure. Rails followed their recent apathetic course, although coalers and grangers developed a firm tone.

The closing was weak.

ST. LOUIS HAY.

St. Louis, Jan. 5—Sales: Timothy—Part car grassy mixed at $12, part car straw prime 1 at $10, 1 car and part car No. 2 at $18, 2 cars standard at $20, 1 car do at $22, 1 car No. 1 at $22, 1 car do at $22.50. Clover mixed—One car No. 2 at $17, 3 cars heavy mixed at $18, 1 car No. 1 at $19, 1 car light mixed at $20. Clover—One car No. 1 at $21. Alfalfa—One car No. 2 at $17, 1 car do at $16, 1 car standard at $22, 4 cars No. 1 at $24, 2 cars do at $25.

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WHEAT PRICE CLOSE IS FIRM

Corn Market Close Was Unsettled.

Chicago, Jan. 5—Although the wheat market averaged a little lower at the outset today, prices soon scored a moderate advance. Initial downturns were ascribed to profit-taking sales. The subsequent gains appeared to be based on buying due largely to bullish crop reports from the southwest. Opening quotations, which varied from ¼c off to ⅛c up, with May $1.11¼ to $1.11⅝ and July $1.01 to $1.01¼, were followed by a slight general set-back and then by a rise all around to well above yesterday's finish.

Subsequently, the market eased off because of scattered selling which found support lacking, but improved demand from millers constituted a strengthening influence at the last. Prices closed firm, ⅛ to ½c net higher, with May $1.11⅞ to $1.12 and July $1.01¼ to $1.01⅜.

OTHERS QUIET.

Corn and oats held within narrow limits. After opening unchanged to ⅜c lower; May 53¼ to 53½c, the market recovered a trifle.

Later there was considerable pressure from cash houses hedging against purchases to arrive. The close was unsettled, ¼ to ½c net lower, with May 53⅜ to 53⅛@¾c.

Oats started unchanged to ⅛@¼c higher, May 38¼ to 38⅜c and remained near to the initial figures.

Higher quotations on hogs gave some firmness to provisions.

CHICAGO CARS.

Chicago, Jan. 5—	Rcts.	Cont.	Estd.	Yr. Ago
Wheat	7	5	8	11
Corn	316	230	327	291
Oats	67	35	55	81

NEW YORK SILVER.

New York, Jan. 5—Foreign bar silver 61½; Mexican dollars 48¾.

LIVESTOCK AND GRAIN UNCHANGED

Eggs Go to 33 Cents; Poultry Firm.

Markets in both grain and live stock remained steady with no change locally Thursday. Poultry prices were higher but were not changed by local buyers while eggs continued the downward slide, falling off another cent from Wednesday's quotations. Following are the prices quoted locally:

No. 3 corn	.53
Oats	.25

Live Stock
(Quoted daily by Danzeisen Packing Co.)

Heavy sows	4.75@	5.00
Choice young hogs, 175-225 lbs.	6.75@	7.00
Choice young hogs, 250-300 lbs	6.25@	6.50
Choice steers, 700-800 lbs	8.00@	8.50
Medium steers, 700@900 lbs	5.50@	6.00
Choice heifers, 700-800 lbs	6.00@	6.50
Good heifers, 700-800 lbs	5.50@	6.00
Choice cows, 800-1000 lbs	5.00@	5.50
Medium cows, 800-1000 lbs	4.00@	5.00
Canners and cutters	2.00@	3.00
Bulls	4.50@	5.00
Spring lambs	6.00@	7.00
Veal calves	6.00@	8.00

Butter and Eggs

Eggs	.33
Shipping butter	.11
Butter fat	.37

Poultry

Hens, small	.28
Hens, heavy	.22
Springs, 4½ lbs or over	.24
Small springs	.23
Cocks	.13
Young turkeys 8 lbs. and over	.30
Ducks large	.15
Geese	.12
Indian Runner ducks	.14
Live pigeons	.75

Hides

Cured beef, No. 1	.06
Green	.06½
Horse hides	2.75

C. M. AND G. TO BUILD NEW LINE

Washington, Jan. 5.—The Chicago, Milwaukee and Gary railroad was authorized today by the Interstate Commerce commission to build a new line, approximately 29 miles in length from Aurora to Joliet, Ill., at a cost of $2,700,000.

Under an application now pending before the commission to Gary, will be purchased by the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad and in granting the new railroad construction today, the commission said the investment would be justified because it would make it possible for the St. Paul to move larger quantities of coal originating on its Indiana lines into the northwest without conducting the traffic through congested rail areas in the vicinity of Chicago.

LEGAL NOTICES.

PUBLIC SALE NOTICE.

Whereas, by a decree of the Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinois, entered in Chancery case numbered 26507 of said Court, in which the Citizens National Bank, a corporation, as Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Louis Lienhart, deceased, is complainant, and Charity A. Lienhart, et al., are defendants, the undersigned has been duly appointed by said court as trustee to sell and convey the real estate described as follows, towit:

Lot Seventeen (17) in block two (2) of L. Towle Addition to the City of Decatur, situated in Macon County, Illinois, as per plat recorded in book 140 page 70 of the Public Records of Macon County, Illinois.

of which said real estate the said Louis Lienhart died seized and possessed, public notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as such trustee, will sell the said real estate, at public vendue to the highest bidder therefor, at the north door of the Court House in the City of Decatur, in said Macon County, on Wednesday the 15th day of February, A. D. 1922, at the hour of two o'clock p. m., of said day upon the following terms: One-half or more of the purchase price to be paid in cash, upon the date of sale, the unpaid balance thereof to be secured by a real estate first mortgage upon said real estate, duly made, acknowledged, executed and recorded by the purchaser or purchasers of said real estate, to the undersigned as such trustee, as mortgagee, to become due on or before one year from date of said sale, deferred payments to draw interest at the rate of seven (7) per centum, per annum; such purchaser or purchasers to have the right to pay the entire purchase price for said real estate upon the date of such sale.

Dated January 5, 1922.

CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK
A corporation, Trustee, as aforesaid.
Whitfield, Deck & Coleman, Solicitors for Trustee.

PUTS 'O. K.' ON SWINE SHOW

Expert Judge from U. of I. Says Hogs Were of High Class.

The animals shown Wednesday in the Macon County Livestock Breeders' Association's hog show at the Farm Bureau, were of an unusually high grade, according to announcement of A. L. Laible, of the Animal Husbandry department of the University of Illinois, who judged the swine on exhibition.

Mr. Laible made a thorough job of his inspection of the hogs, and as he worked he gave a running talk on the characteristics on which he reached his decisions. At the close of the inspection, he gave a brief talk, during which he strongly advocated the big type of hogs.

BOYS INTERESTED.

In the crowd that filled the swine house during the show were many boys, who are becoming more and more interested in the breeding and growing of hogs, and who listened and watched with as much attention as their elders.

THE AWARDS.

The awards are as follows:

POLAND CHINAS.

Class A—Sows farrowed before Sept. 1, 1920.
First—Charles S. Troutman, R. R. 5, Decatur.
Second—W. J. Hawley, Macon.
Third—Elmer Thompson, R. R. 8, Decatur.
Class B—Sows farrowed between Sept. 1, 1920, and Feb. 28, 1921.
First—W. J. Hawley, Macon.
Second—Charles S. Troutman.
Third—W. J. Hawley.
Class C—Sows farrowed since March 1, 1921.
First—W. J. Hawley.
Second—W. J. Hawley.
Third—C. F. Holmes, Harristown.

DUROC-JERSEYS.

Class A—Sows farrowed before Sept. 1, 1920.
First—William Fulk, Cerro Gordo.
Second—William Fulk.
Third—William Fulk.
Class B—Sows farrowed between Sept. 1, 1920, and Feb. 28, 1921.
First—George Peverly, R. R. 1, Decatur.
Second—Howard A. Peverly, R. R. 1, Decatur.
Class C—Sows farrowed since March 1, 1921.
First—William Fulk.
Second—William Fulk.
Third—Howard A. Peverly.

CHESTER WHITES.

Class A—Sows farrowed before Sept. 1, 1920.
First—Archie P. McIntosh, Orcana.
Class B—Sows farrowed between Sept. 1, 1920, and Feb. 28, 1921.
First—Archie P. McIntosh.
Second—Archie P. McIntosh.
Third—Gerald Cooper, Decatur.
Class C—Sows farrowed since March 1, 1921.
First—Archie P. McIntosh.

ELABORATE RIBBONS.

The ribbons awarded as emblems of superiority were unusually elaborate, and bore besides the appropriate lettering framed photographs of prize-winning swine of the respective breeds.

The hog show was a decided success, in the opinion of those who managed it and participated in it in any way, and plans for a similar show early in 1923 will be laid early.

PROBE FURNITURE GOODS INDUSTRY

Resolution An Attack on Profiteering.

Washington, Jan. 5—Investigation by the federal trade commission of the House furnishing goods industry was directed in a resolution adopted late Wednesday by the Senate. The resolution, sponsored by Senator Kenyon, Republican, Iowa, provides that the inquiry shall embrace "the causes of factory, wholesale and retail price conditions," in the industry. There was no record vote on the resolution.

ATTACK ON PROFITEERING.

The debate which preceded its adoption was characterized by general attack on profiteers, trusts and combinations in restraint of trade and scattering assaults on the federal trade commission. The latter was defended, however, by several senators who contended that it could never be "a popular" government agency because of the nature of its work.

PRODUCE PRICES MAKE BIG DROP

[By the Associated Press]

Chicago, Jan. 5.—The wholesale price of butter has dropped from 47 to 37 cents a pound and that of eggs from 50 to 38 cents a dozen in the last ten days, according to wholesalers, who attribute the drop to open weather and good production.

Retail prices on eggs are 49 cents compared with 64 cents on Dec. 10. The best grade of butter which on December 16 was selling for 51 cents retail, now sells for 45 cents.

MRS. SCHRANTZ DIES NEAR PANA

Pana, Jan. 5.—Mrs. H. R. Schrantz, 42, of Fort Wayne, Ind., died at 10 o'clock Thursday forenoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McKittrick, two miles east of Pana. Death was due to heart trouble of four days' duration.

Mrs. Schrantz is survived by her husband, one son, two daughters, her parents and one brother, James McKittrick.

AGED MAN DIES.

John Cilby, an aged resident of this city, died at his home here Thursday.

JOHN QUIRK GIVEN 3 TO 34 YEARS IN STATE PRISON

Sentenced Thursday Noon on Pleas of Guilty to Forgery and Embezzlement.

Tuscola, Jan. 5.—John Quirk, erstwhile cashier of the Arcola State Bank and self-confessed forger and embezzler of the bank's funds, was sentenced at 12 o'clock Thursday noon to three terms in the state penitentiary at Chester—two terms of from one to ten years each on charges of embezzlement, and one of from one to fourteen years on the charge of forgery.

NOTHING TO SAY.

Quirk, over whom the sentences have been hanging since he entered pleas of guilty in open court early in December, had nothing to say when asked by the court if he had any statement as to why sentence should not be pronounced. He accepted the sentences passively and without emotion.

RUN CONSECUTIVELY.

The sentences, pronounced by Judge George A. Sentel in the presence of only a few persons who were in the court room at the time, are to run consecutively. This makes the period of Quirk's penal servitude from three to thirty-four years, the possible minimum, with allowance for good behavior, being thirty-three months.

TAKEN AWAY AT ONCE.

At 1:15 Thursday afternoon Quirk started on his journey to the penitentiary, in custody of Deputy Sheriff Horace Bierfeldt.

For two reasons the sentencing of Quirk was postponed from the date of his pleas of guilty to Jan. 5. One of these was that he was used as a witness by the state in the recent trial of John S. Ernst, for forgery, and the other was to allow him to participate in the Christmas festivities of the Quirk family. This was arranged with the thought that it would be the last time the family would assemble together, as Quirk's aged father, Mike Quirk, also under indictment connected with the wrecking of the bank, is in a critical physical condition.

Arguments on a motion for a new trial for John Ernst, convicted of forgery in connection with the bank case, were set for Thursday.

WEST VIRGINIA COAL MINERS STARVING

Appeal to Harding for Relief.

Washington, Jan. 5—West Virginia coal miners who say their families are starving have appealed directly to President Harding for government aid. Letters the miners have sent to the President are contradictory of the statement issued by Governor Morgan of West Virginia, that there is no starvation among the miners' families. The letter to the President from the local union of the United Mine Workers at Marfork, W. Va., says:

"At the meeting of our local union located at Marfork, W. Va., the miners instructed us to appeal to you for financial aid to support their wives and babies. The men have worked about 3 months this year. Why the mines are not running we are unable to say.

MAJORITY DESTITUTE.

"The majority, or practically all of these men, who number about 200, are in a destitute condition, some not even having a meal ahead nor the means of obtaining such. The only hope we have to ward off intense suffering is by appealing to our national government for aid through you."

The letter was signed by G. L. Barnett, W. M. Brooks, G. H. Combs and A. Catron, members of a committee.

Another letter sent to the President by two local unions at Mabscott, W. Va., following a mass meeting of the two unions, reports the same condition among their members.

The letter was signed by A. B. Phillips and William Pack, presidents, and Sanford Bashan and S. R. Vaughn, secretaries of the two unions.

FAY MOTOR BUS LINE IS ENJOINED

Chicago, Jan. 5 — Judge K. M. Landis today issued an injunction restraining the Fay Motor Bus company of Rockford, Ills., from disposing of any of its assets during the pendency of an involuntary petition in bankruptcy, and then continued hearing of the petition until January 20.

KANSAS FARM WAGE SHOWS LOSS—CAUSE

Topeka, Kas., Jan. 5.—A study of the average wages paid on Kansas farms shows some interesting sidelights on the subject of why the American farmer is in a losing business today with the accompanying depressing influence on all business, according to a report issued here by E. C. Paxton, statistician for Kansas for the United States Bureau of Markets and Crop Estimates, and made public today.

A table of figures shows that the average Kansas harvest wage is 250 per cent higher than in 1890, while the price paid for wheat is but 20 per cent higher, while that for corn is 20 per cent lower

Local Notices

Public Dance tonight, Moose hall, hours 8:30 to 11:30. Admission 40c, five piece orchestra.

BIG DANCE TONIGHT.

Eagles Hall, 8:30 to 11:30. Admission 40c.

SQUIBS O'NEWS.

San Francisco—Senator Hiram W. Johnson in a statement to Californians said: "President Harding's erroneous construction of the quadruple alliance treaty is he most cogent reason for all of us to study every word and phrase before we commit our country to this unexpected and extraordinary contract."

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Atlanta—Mrs. Elizabeth Tyler announced her resignation as assistant to E. Y. Clarke, head of the propagation department of the Ku Klux Klan.

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New York—Directors of the General Motors corporation voted to omit the quarterly dividend of 25 cents a share on common stock, due at this time.

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New York—Settlement of the wage dispute between seven large independent paper manufacturing companies and their employes was announced, 10,000 unskilled workers accepting a cut of eight cents an hour.

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New Orleans — Forty-seven book makers, operating at the Fair Grounds track were technically arrested at the conclusion of the day's racing card, and charged with violation of the Locke anti-gambling law.

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Moscow—Soviet Russian newspapers almost universally regarded the appropriation of $20,000,000 by the American Congress to relieve famine conditions in Russia as primarily a political or economic, rather than a humanitarian move.

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Denver—Twenty-five members of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen's Union, including one woman, were sentenced to terms in the county jail ranging from one day to two months for contempt of court.

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New York—Business failures in the United States during 1921 numbered 19,562, with a total indebtedness of $627,401,883, as compared with 8,881 defaults in 1920 involving $295,121,805, according to a report by R. G. Dun and company.

FARM MEET IS CALLED JAN. 23

Rush Work of Sending Invitations.

Washington, Jan. 5—The national agricultural conference, suggested several days ago by President Harding, to consider means of relieving distress among the farmers, was called Wednesday night by Secretary Wallace to meet in Washington Jan. 23.

The agricultural secretary in announcing the call said it was expected that Mr. Harding would open the conference. Invitations to persons selected to compose the personnel of the gathering it was said are being sent out daily and announcement of the list of delegates will be made soon.

Secretary Wallace has not fixed a limit to the number of delegates but is concerned chiefly with making sure that the conference will be thoroughly representative. The number of delegates, it was indicated, will be between 150 and 300.

PROMINENT ILLINOIS SURGEON IS DEAD

Springfield, Jan. 5—Dr. George N. Kreider, prominent surgeon and founder of the Illinois State Medical Journal, died here Wednesday at the age of 65. During the war he was examiner for the medical corps and passed upon the qualifications of all down-state physicians and surgeons who entered the army from Illinois. He was a fellow in the American College of Surgeons. Excepting several years in Europe Dr. Kreider was located in Springfield for the past forty years.

JACK LONDON'S MOTHER IS DEAD

Oakland, Cal., Jan. 5.—Mrs. Flora London, mother of the late Jack London, the author, died Wednesday at a hospital here, where she had been under treatment for several weeks. She was 79 years old and a native of Ohio.

TRAFFIC LEAGUE TO ELECT OFFICERS

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 5—Shippers from all parts of Illinois together with a large number of Peoria shippers, members and non-members of the Illinois District Traffic league are meeting today. Shortly after the opening of the afternoon session at 2 o'clock the officers for 1922 will be elected. R. M. Field, traffic manager of the Association of Commerce is president and is residing at the association today. The question of a general cut in freight rates of 10 per cent will be taken up during the session and a recommendation will be made to the Interstate Commerce commission. The consolidation of the railroad systems of the country into groups as provided in the transportation act will also be acted upon.

DEEDS RECORDED.

N. B. Burge to H. W. Baugher, lot 113, Mueller avenue, Elmhurst; $300.

IRISH HOPEFUL OVER TREATY

Adjournment Taken As a Good Sign.

[By the Associated Press]

Dublin, Jan. 5.—The Dail Eireann met this morning and immediately adjourned until 3 o'clock this afternoon.

The adjournment was to give the members an opportunity of discussing the situation created by the presentation of Eamonn DeValera's alternative proposals. It was regarded by many observers of the proceedings as a hopeful sign that some form of agreement might be reached.

PRODUCES SURPRISE.

The astonishment produced in the Dail Eireann by Eamonn DeValera's sudden production of his alternative proposals to the peace treaty, and his announced determination to move them as an amendment to the treaty at today's session, have turned into anxiety over the probable effect of this move on the further proceedings in the Dail.

Mr. DeValera's right to move his proposals as an amendment has been challenged and it is possible that a critical division today may occur on the motion to enable him to carry out his plan. His opponents declare he must reserve his alternative proposal until the Dail has given a direct vote on the treaty.

PRODUCES PROPOSALS.

Eamon DeValera Wednesday evening, produced for the first time publicly his alternative proposals to the Irish treaty. Mr. DeValera's original idea, as announced by himself, was to move his alternative proposals in the event of rejection of the treaty. But he changed his mind, and now intends, if he is permitted, to move them as an amendment to the resolution approving the treaty.

FOLLOWS OUTLINE.

The document, as issued, differs, according to Mr. Griffith, from the document submitted in the private sessions of the Dail Eireann. It follows the main outline of the treaty made at the Downing street residence of the British prime minister and signed by Arthur Griffith, Michael Collins, and the other plenipotentiaries, but implies Mr. DeValera contends, a fundamental difference in principle. It asserts that the sole source of authority in Ireland rests with the Irish people, while by the treaty, it is argued, it is derived through the king.

NO ALLEGIANCE OATH.

Mr. De Valera's plan contains no oath of allegiance, but admits recognition of His Britannic Majesty as head of the association of states in the British commonwealth, with which Ireland externally associates itself.

NO PROGRESS.

The Dail Eireann after holding brief morning and afternoon sessions today without making further progress in consideration of the Anglo-Irish treaty adjourned late this afternoon until tomorrow, when it will meet in private session to hear the report of the unofficial committee which is trying to find a basis on which an agreement might be reached.

CORRESPONDENT KIDNAPPED.

[By the Associated Press]

Dublin, Jan. 5.—A. B. Kay, correspondent for the London Times, was kidnapped last night by three armed men while with other newspaper men in a grocery shop. There has been no word of him since his disappearance and no explanation of his seizure.

The correspondents attending this morning's session of the Dail Eireann demanded his immediate release and the punishment of his kidnappers.

PREDICTS TREATY DEFEAT.

[By the Associated Press]

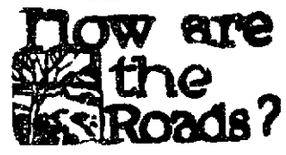
London, Jan. 5—J. J. Walsh, member of the Dail Eireann, is quoted in a Central News despatch from Dublin today as saying in a statement: "I can definitely state that, as the position stands, the treaty will be defeated by at least two votes."

TAKES RESPONSIBILITY.

"I take full responsibility for making that statement," Walsh continued. "The decision probably will be reached late tonight, and I feel that it is of the greatest importance and of vital interest for every constituency to realize the exact position."

Prominent opposition members are quoted as declaring their side was favored by the recess taken by the Dail this morning, and that the net result had been at least one vote more on the anti-treaty side.

J. J. Walsh, who expressed himself as being in favor of the Anglo-Irish treaty three days after it was signed in London, have been one of the Sinn Fein's most militant supporters. He has become noteworthy for having escaped from Mount Joy prison in 1919, having served nearly three years of a 10 years' sentence for his activities in the Easter rebellion in 1916 and for having eluded the crown forces who sought him in various parts of Ireland.



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Tuscola—Roads frozen and rough.
Pana—Roads frozen and rough.

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TAYLORVILLE MINER IS ELECTROCUTED

In Contact with 250 Volts of Electricity.

Taylorville Jan 5—Dario Malova-, aged 24 and single a machine runner, was electrocuted at Mine 9 at 11 45 o clock Wednesday morning, and died after efforts extending over an hour had failed to save him

When found he was lying on the ... Having con... to contact with 250 volts of electricity Life was almost extinct when he was found by his two brothers with whom he worked

He is survived by these brothers and his parents who live in Italy. The funeral arrangements have not been completed.

JACOB MAY BURIED

The funeral services of the late Jacob May were held Thursday morning at 9 o clock at the St Mary's Catholic Church Father J J Corcoran officiating Burial was in the ... Hill cemetery

NARROW ESCAPE

Henry Mills taxi driver for H ... shon, barely escaped serious injury when his Ford taxi was hit by a Dodge delivery truck driven by ... Lunderburg at the corner of ... and Webster streets at 10 o clock Wednesday morning ... L. Richaby music teacher at ... high school was in the taxi He was not injured

Mills taxi, which has a winter top ... it was turned over on its side ... who was unable to jump ... ved only a ... The ... was damaged to the extent of ...

Mrs Chas Mil... will be hostess ... the Womans Mission Circle of the First church Friday afternoon

The Pathfinders met Tuesday night at the ... church and elected the following officers for the coming year

President—Mildred Tollewel
Vice President—Alta Smith
Secretary—Mabel Tolowell
Treasurer—Mr ... A George
Pianist—Helen Shank
Press Correspondent—Vida McKay

A PAIR OF THEM

Twins a boy and a girl were born ... day to Mr and Mrs J C Kalp ... East Market street The boy died Wednesday morning and will be taken to Macon for burial

PYTHIAN SISTERS ELECTION

The Pythian Sisters met in regular ... on Tuesday evening and elected the following officers for the ensuing year

... Excellent ... Chief—Olive Col-...
... ellent ... —Edith Lemax
... llent ... —Edith Layzelle
... ager—Ellen Jokes
... ress of Finance—... Reed
... ress of Records—Ethel Os-...
... d—Marcia Anere
... Chief—... Rosengrant

... Presbyterian Womans Foreign ... nary Society will meet Friday ... noon at ... o clock at the home ... s Prowl ... Assisting hostess ... Sylvester and Mrs Thompson subject ... Syria and Persia. Readings ... be given by Mrs Atkinson and ... Herdman

... daughter was born Tuesday at ... Vincent hospital to Mr and Mrs ... Calloway ... Mrs ... before her ... was Miss ... Byers

... son was born Tuesday at St ... hospital to Mr and Mrs ... e Lakin

Smith F Gordon Emma Burgett Paul Swickard Harvey Winkler Harold Rice and Fred Saunders

At night the men were their guests at a smoker, at which time the installation of officers took place Rev A A Henlein and Rev H W. Hunter were the speakers for both afternoon and evening

WOMAN'S CLUB FETE

Saturday night the home of Dr and Mrs R C Gillogly was the scene of much gaiety when the Womans Club entertained their friends at a New Years masquerade Nearly all of the guests came in costume of which there was a great variety George Teller and Mrs J M McKnight were chosen king and queen by the finding of a ring and coin which were hidden in the cake that was passed to all H B Smith was court jester

The throne of the king and queen was upon the stair landing where they witnessed the amusing stunts performed by their subjects for their entertainment New Years resolutions of different members of the party were thrown upon a screen, which afforded much merriment. At 10 30 refreshments were served

At midnight little Laura May Weise came down the stairway as the New Year Little bells were given as favors The guests departed as the bells were ringing in the year of 192_

Prof and Mrs Russel Griffin and daughter Dorothy returned Monday from Charleston where they spent the holidays

Misses Ruth Alverson Helen Fraley Grace Morris, Evlyn Mundt, Hazel Gordon and Genevieve Brocker returned to Newman Monday to take up their work in the high school after spending the vacation at their homes

Miss Bertha Scotten returned to New Castle Ind Wednesday to resume her duties as teacher in the public schools

The young people who were at home for the holidays have returned to their various schools

PAGEANT GIVEN

A fine entertainment was given in the Christian church Sunday night called the Pageant of the Months" A second performance was given immediately following the first to accommodate the crowd that wished to see it

The moving picture film Alice In Hungerland was shown in the Presbyterian church Wednesday night Rev C I Vander Maater was in Villa Grove Tuesday night to show this film which is to interest people in the cause of the Near East relief

Mr and Mrs J J Hughes who spent the holidays with Mr and Mrs M S Smith left Monday for Flora and Centralia They will make a number of stops before reaching their home in North Yakima, Wash,

SULLIVAN READY FOR POULTRY SHOW

Indications Point to the "Best" Exhibition.

Sullivan Jan ...—The Moultrie County Poultry and Pet Stock show ... be held at the M ... Garage ... ough the week of Jan 9 to 14 ... all present indications this ... be the best show ever held in Sullivan All poultry and pets to be entered in the show must be entered ... o clock Saturday Jan ... Monday, the first day of the show ... be spent in placing the entries ... the judging will start Tuesday ... ning One of the best prize lists ... offered in Moultrie County is ... anged

All the members of the association ... boosting the show and hope ... many new members as well as make the show bigger and better ... any information address Secretary ... F R Wright

The C W B M will meet at the home of Mrs Inez Gaddis Friday ... at 2 30 o clock Mrs Agnes ... is the leader for the meeting ... Domestic Science club met ... Tuesday with Mrs ... A Corbin ... Merry Wives were entertained Thursday afternoon by Mrs ... Ireland

Real estate transfer Thomas H ... Sneder and wife to ... Cole ... D to farm land near Bethany ... deration $8 ...

Charles Younger was a Bethany visitor Thursday

Harry Fulk has rented the Stella ... Wise property Jackson street

NEWMAN LEGION POST RECEPTION

Newman Jan 5—The Sarton ... rgett Post of the American Legion ... a New Year's reception in its ... Tuesday afternoon to the ... of the community Seventy ... les called during the afternoon ... sic was furnished by a Brunswick ... wireless and by an orchestra composed of Charles Burgett Xylophone Mrs Charles Burgett piano ... H B Smith saxophone Coffee ... cakes were served The boys ... assisted by Mesdames M. S

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LITTLE—BUT, OH MY!

The little fellows often produce!

David was the first little fellow to break into prominence when he slew Goliath in that heated conflict many centuries ago.

Since that time there have been many battles between individuals and between nations, and history is replete with accounts of the heroism of little men.

All America is now paying tribute to Marshal Ferdinand Foch—a little fellow—who was supreme commander of the allied armies in the drive which won the World War.

Right here in Decatur there's a little fellow who is producing

You never knew David and you may not meet Foch but you have an opportunity every day to become acquainted with Decatur's most consistent producing little fellow—a Review Classified Ad.

He's small but he brings the results when it comes to finding lost articles, renting houses and apartments, selling automobiles and performing the many deeds assigned to him.

Read the Review's classified section today and meet him

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lost and Found 10

BICYCLE—Stolen from 800 block Cleveland Tuesday morning Party is known and should return wheel to 1414 N Broadway and avoid trouble

CAMEO PIN—W ... party living near Forsythe who found cameo pin return same to 820 N Main and receive reward

CUFF BUTTON—One gold Masonic lost Reward Call Main 4136

FOUNTAIN PEN—Conklin Lower part lost between W Eldorado and Roosevelt school Girls Xmas present Reward Main 374

GAUNTLET GLOVE — Brown sheepskin lost on 100 block on North Main Finder please leave at Conklin Bakery

LAVENDER AND WHITE SWEATER—Lost in or near Interurban station, Saturday Reward Mrs Van Praag Main 4 ...

LEATHER POCKETBOOK—Near transfer station Reward Mrs Mary Ernst Main 1820

PRAYER BOOK—Lost on Sunday Jan 1st Call Main 21 2 before 10 30 a. m or return to 634 W Wood

WHITE FEMALE HOUND—Lost, license No 2 Reward Main 1880

WRIST WATCH—Lost in Lincoln Square theater Sun night or between there and 313 N Main Main 6 ...

AUTOMOBILES

Automobiles For Sale 11

BUICK ROADSTER—1920 model Dandy A 1 shape 5 new tires $100 worth extra equipment Big bargain Main 1...

STEARNS KNIGHT—Roadster for sale or trade for city real estate In good mechanical condition Call Main 1368 during business hours

USED CARS—

Ford Coupe 1920 Model self starter and demountable rims A 1 mechanically

Ford Roadster 1921 Model A 1 and new roadster at a bargain price

Cadillac Eight Cylinder Touring Low mileage has had excellent care six good tires The price is right

... Six Cylinder Touring 1918 Model Continental motor ... wheels good tires A 1 mechanical

Oakland Roadster 1919 Model ... excellent condition ...

Cadillac Touring Model ... Excellent mechanically Six good tires ...

Ford Touring 1915 Model New tires ... A 1 mechanically

L B Bains
Illinois Pioneer Used Car Dealer
314 316 318 E Main St Main 40 0

USED CARS—
1918 ... Six Touring
1917 Case Four Touring
1917 Reo 4 Touring ... Top
1917 Reo Light 4 Touring
1915 Reo 6 Touring
1919 Oldsmobile 1 ton truck
Reo Motor Sales ...

USED CARS—
1917 Buick roadster
1921 Essex roadster
Model 40 Hudson roadster
1... Chandler Despatch
1917 Briscoe touring
1918 Oakland touring
Model 40 Hudson touring
Model 51 Cadillac
1916 Ford touring
Decatur Car Mart
503 N Main ... 6...

Motorcycles and Bicycles 12

BICYCLE—Double frame good tires cheap Fairview 113 1... N College

Auto Accessories 14

AUTO PARTS—Overland Ford Maxwell Open evenings All day Sun Packard St Garage 146 E Packard M 2583

Service Stations—Repairing 15

AUTO PAINTING—We can take on a few more cars at this time W J Wayne 434 E Center Main ...

AUTO REPAIRING—If the teeth in your starter gear break have a new gear ring shrunk on at the Wood St Garage 2 2 E Wood St

AUTO TOPS and furniture upholstering Very best work Decatur Upholstering Co 811 N Water

CARS OVERHAULED and repaired Get our prices on the best of work A L Smith 1130 N Broadway Main 4474

RADIATOR REPAIRING—On frozen radiators Excellent workmanship Reasonable Howell Radiator Shop 626 N Main Main 758

VULCANIZING — Tire repairing Work guaranteed Used tires for sale W high R R ... W Main St Main 1806

Auto Livery—Garages 16

AUTO STORAGE—You can store your cars cheaper here than anywhere else in the city Call Main 977

GARAGE for rent at 911 W Main Fa...

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MOVING STORAGE PACKING—Shipping of household goods or merchandise carefully done at low cost Parle Telephones Main 61 or Main 5... 621 North Main St

Painting—Papering 24

ALL PAPER HANGING—At reasonable prices D M Smith Main 3371

INTERIOR DECORATING and paper hanging I can save you money C Fenton Main 483

PAPERHANGING and paper cleaning County 947 Ring 1.

PAPERING painting house cleaning plaster patching varnishing floor waxing W C King 201 W Decatur Main 2402

PAPERING—General cleaning small jobs of plastering Chimney repairing S W Morgan 1240 W Green Main 4310

Professional Services 27

EXPERIMENTAL DRAFTING — Patent drawings and specifications any ... 430 Citizens Bldg Main 7116

INVENTIONS DEVELOPED and marketed William Adds M E 1120 S Webster St Main 6788

Repairing 28

CLOCKS WATCHES—Repaired at your home Call Main 3371 or Main 1667

HOME REPAIRING—For any repairs about your home call Fairview 1647 The Home Repair Shop 210 E Division

MARTIN'S WATCH SHOP—We specialize on watch repairing on all American and Swiss watches 146 N Main St

RUG & CARPET REPAIRING—Rug weaving and binding Decatur Carpet & Rug Co 2 9 E Main St Main 1-36

Renovating and Dyeing 29

LET US KEEP YOU CLEAN—By laundering your clothes snow-white by saving ... cleaning your overstuffed furniture and by shampooing your rugs to look like new Vacuum cleaners for rent Workman Cleaning Co Main 6318

RUGS CLEANED—Have them shampooed Carpets and rugs made to look like new During shampooing sizing Call Main 2... Meridith Co 3-5 3... E Cerro Gordo

Tailoring and Pressing 30

CLEANING AND PRESSING at the new Paris Cleaners Phone Main 290... Prompt work called for and delivered

EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted—Female 32

EXPERIENCED WOMAN—For general housework Must be good cook No washing or ironing Sleep in preferred Call at 718 W ... st William

YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN—To study stenography or salesmanship at home Big demand Typewriter furnished free Free employment service Write for free literature on course you prefer Federal Extension University Champaign Illinois

Help Wanted—Male 33

GOVERNMENT POSITIONS — Men, 18 over for Railway Mail Postoffice other government positions Examination soon Salary $130 month Experience not necessary Particulars free Write G W Robbins Civil Service Expert formerly with government 205 Pope Bldg Washington D C

SALESMEN—To sell Wear Ever aluminum to homes through ... No house to house work $50.00 to $100.00 per week Positions permanent Phone ... 198.

Salesmen and Agents 35

AGENTS—Your opportunity to be independent and prosperous Become our special representative sell goods in constant demand Particulars free The Bacon Company Elmira N Y

SALESMEN—Three opportunity for permanent city or road managerial positions Call for R F Bussert at Rex Electric Co 114 E William 8 00 or 11 00 a m or 1 00 p m

Situations Wanted—Female 36

WASHINGS—Wanted 1070 St Louis Ave Main 5800

YOUNG LADY—Wants stenographic or clerical position Has knowledge of bookkeeping Best references Main 6300

Situations Wanted—Male 37

BUSINESS COLLEGE STUDENT—Wants position firing furnace for room or pay Address Box No 1... care Review

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DAVIS MERCANTILE AGENCY—Collections 615 Millikin Building Harry L Davis Mgr

RAG RUG WEAVING—From your old garments or curtains Decatur Carpet & Rug Co Main 1216 2... E Main St

Heating and Plumbing 20

FURNACE REPAIRING—Fire doors and hot water boilers repaired Carbon burnt out of auto engines We weld all kinds of broken material Work called for and delivered Decatur Boiler and Welding Co. 1-17 E Eldorado St Main 6901

Insurance 21

FIRE TORNADO and all kinds Casualty Insurance J R Smith & Son over Tailor Market Main 1...6

FIRE automobile and farm insurance P R Montgomery & Sons 141 E Main St Main 1243

Millinery-Dressmaking 22

SCHOOL OF DRESSMAKING and ladies tailoring Mrs A C Simmons 201 0 Empress Bldg 148 E North

Moving, Trucking, Storage 23

BAGGAGE—Transfer household goods moved. Country trips truck service E Carter Rose 5 5 N Water Main 4 71

BIG 4 BAGGAGE LINE—Light truck ing Prompt reliable service Phones Main 51... or 6944 112 E Wood

COAL—When you want coal Phone Fairview 186... Prompt service

COAL junk garbage, and general hauling Call Main 6171

COAL AND KINDLING hauled Cal Lewis Fairview 706 Prompt service

COAL HAULING—Local or long distance trucking Prompt attention to all orders C E Potter Fairview 980

COAL HAULING—By union teamster from either shaft Main 5768

DENBO C M —441 E Division St Baggage transfer coal furniture and general hauling Truck service Phone Fairview 1613

LIGHT HAULING—Ashes cans etc ... Shank & S... Fairview 18...

TRUCK HAULING of all ... etc Call Hall, Main 1740 mornings.

FINANCIAL

Money to Loan 40

MONEY TO LOAN—ON DIAMONDS WATCHES JEWELRY REVOLVERS AND OTHER COLLATERALS WM ROSENBERG 1-5 S WATER ST

LIVE STOCK

Dogs, Cats, Pets 47

CANARY BIRDS—With first three males sold will give one female Call 9-94

Horses, Cattle, Vehicles 48

GOOD HORSE wagon and harness Clean 1 20 N Morgan

Poultry and Supplies 49

COCKERELS—Buff Orpington ... Mills 195 Oak Crest Main 173

THOUSANDS—Of pure bred to lay baby chicks for spring delivery Leghorns Rock Reds Wyandottes Orpingtons Hayes Bros Hatchery, 2030 N Monroe Decatur Ill

MERCHANDISE

Articles For Sale 51

MOTION PICTURE MACHINE—Good condition ... own price if reasonable Main 2417

Business Equipment 52

SMALL OFFICE SAFE—... high ... deep ... $210 One Rotospeed in good condition $25 00 used only a few times Howdle Accounting System Cerro Gordo ...

Household Goods 59

FINE FURNITURE—Just received ... rooms 8 rugs and Victrola Park Street Furniture Store 241 N Park

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—Just received a big lot of almost new goods including one Victrola The Park Street Furniture Store 240 N Park

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—Klondyke refrigerator dining table buffet china ... one half price Fairview 113 1316 N College

HOUSEHOLD GOODS BARGAINS—

Wheel chairs $7 0 up
Dental ... $10 00
Genuine leather ... $ 00
Phonograph ... bargain $ 100
... $1 00 up
... $2
... stools ... c
Plate racks 1 c
We take ... in exchange ...
M A Lee ...
1... E North St

LIVING ROOM SUITE—And numerous ... household goods ... leaving town ...

MATTRESSES—... All old ones made over with new ... Decatur Mattress Factory 10... N Water Ph Main 100

PUBLIC SALE—Of ... household goods at 3 7 S Franklin Sat ... P S ... Administrator

Musical Instruments 62

BUY A PATHONA—On easy payment terms Made in Decatur and the finest phonograph value offered Patona Music Co 17 N Main St

COLUMBIA GRAFONOLAS—Prices from $... up Yours for small payment down and easy weekly or monthly terms ... 115 ... William

$10 DOWN—Puts a Style No ... genuine Victrola in your home Balance monthly Emerson ... to House 11 N Main

PIANO—Very reasonable if taken at once Call mornings Fairview 648

PIANO—In good condition $100 0 174_ E Decatur Main 0...

PIANO PLAYER ... Good condition $7... 1101 E Wood

PIANO—Fine Schiller mahogany $145 Ten other real bargains Easy terms Suffern 139 East North

PIANO PLAYER ROLLS—4 for $1.00 during this sale Player roll and talking machine cabinet $4.75 to $... Melody saxophones violins ukuleles harmonicas ... at January sale prices and Emm & Scruggs is back of each instrument ...

PIANOS—The January Pre Inventory sale brings high grade sweet toned pianos and player pianos to you at prices from ... to $... Includes A B Chase Packard Kurtzmann ... and Schiller Emm & Scruggs ...

WANTED YOU TO KNOW—We are selling 85 cent phonograph records for 3 cents each Exceptional bargains in phonographs and pianos Suffern 139 East North

Specials at the Stores 64

PHONOGRAPH RECORDS 85 CENT — While they last for ... cents Lowest prices on phonographs and pianos Suffern 139 East North

Wearing Apparel 65

GIRLS FUR SET—Plush hat coat ladies plush coat hat Main ...

LADIES VELOUR COAT—Size 38 or 3... full length and fully lined Very reasonable Main 5024

PARTY DRESS—Light green silk Silver lace trimming slightly worn Light weight coat and other wearing apparel Sizes 36 and 38 Box No 4... care Review

Wanted—To Buy 66

MEAT MARKET or grocery combined For cash Address Box 478 care of Review

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CENTRAL AVE 301—Furnished rooms and board also garage Men preferred

MORGAN ST 163 N —Two modern furnished rooms for light housekeeping Private entrance With or without board Main 431 or at above address

NEAR ROOSEVELT HIGH—One room in modern private home for one or two persons Fairview 69

WOOD W 304—One nice sleeping room a modern home suitable for 2 gentlemen or ladies Board if desired Close in

Rooms Without Board 68

CHURCH N ... —Furnished room In ... Close in

DECATUR W 810—Connected sitting and bedroom in modern private home Main 6047

ROOMS AND BOARD

Rooms Without Board 68

DECATUR W, 430—Furnished room Main 1-74

FINE SLEEPING ROOM—About 8 blocks north of Lincoln Square Private entrance Adjacent to nice bath room Rents for $4 00 per week. Gentlemen preferred Fairview 5-5

FURNISHED ROOM—One of the best in city Choice location Fairview 108

MAIN W 41...—Modern furnished sleeping room suitable for two Main 1-6

MAIN W 640—Modern furnished sleeping room

MAIN WEST 1090—Nicely furnished room in modern home Phone M 3117

NORTH END—Modern furnished or unfurnished rooms Private family Fairview 1710

NORTH W ...35 — Modern furnished sleeping room ...

OVERLOOKING CENTRAL PARK—... fine steam heated rooms Apply 210 Park

UNION N 5...—Two nice modern sleeping rooms Main 3131

WATER S 461—All modern sleeping rooms Downstairs M 27-6

WOOD W ...67 — 3 modern furnished rooms

Rooms for Housekeeping 69

CALHOUN N 3...—2 modern furnished rooms No children Main 3...

CALHOUN N 665—... furnished room Private entrance Main 216

CHURCH ST S 3... — light housekeeping rooms also one front ... room Phone Fairview ...

DECATUR W 1121—Two nicely furnished front rooms Main ...

MACON E 12...—Two light housekeeping rooms Gas and heat furnished $ 00 per week Call ...

MACON W 1191— Modern furnished room Light housekeeping if preferred Fairview 163

MAIN S 153—2 modern furnished rooms for light housekeeping Main 6916

MAIN W 262—Two modern furnished light housekeeping rooms

MARIETTA E 14—Two modern furnished or unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping No children

MONROE N 1741—Two front rooms furnished or unfurnished for light housekeeping Private entrance Light and heat furnished ...

NEAR STALEYS—... Cerro Gordo ...

NORTH W 1... —Two furnished modern housekeeping rooms Main 6 00

PACKARD N 701 Furnished rooms housekeeping ...

UNION ST N 1... —Two ... furnished rooms ... floor for light housekeeping ...

WATER ST S ...—2 ... furnished ... Call Main ...

WILLIAM ... —Two rooms ... modern housekeeping ... Main 19...

WILLIAM W 310—Unfurnished rooms ... heat furnished ...

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APARTMENT—For rent ... Call ...

APARTMENT — Beautiful five rooms ... heat and water supplied ... janitor service ... garage ...

CALHOUN ... —...

MARIETTA ... —...

PRAIRIE W ... — room ... modern ...

Business Places for Rent 75

S E CORNER LINCOLN SQUARE—Front offices ... W ... Main 4901

COOL BUSINESS ROOM— ...

Farms for Rent 76

DAIRY FARM—North and close to ... farm house with four acres ... Possession March ... 110 N Water St Phone ...

Houses for Rent 77

CLOSE IN ... Address Box ... care Review

CORNER ... —Five room ... Apply 4... N ...

EDWARD N ... —... room furnished modern ... Call M ... 1216

EDWARD N ... —... room house ... Call ... 2543 after 7 p m

ILLINOIS N ... —... room house ... N Water Main 1478

KING W 718 ... —... Main 81

NEAR STALEYS ... —...

NORTHWEST PART ... —New six room cottage furnished complete Part modern ...

PRAIRIE EAST ... —Eight room house ... references required Apply 71... East ...

W... N 1... —Five room modern flat ... furnished ground floor

WEST END—8 room modern house Walking distance from down town Immediate possession Call Main 1330

WEST END—... room modern bungalow $1 00 per month Fairview 1...

WEST SIDE—Seven room ... house ... Transfer house ... Corley ... James H ...

WHITMER ... —... room house $1 ... per month ... N Monroe

Wanted—To Rent 81B

APARTMENT—For ... room ... Young couple no children References Call Mrs Guy Chamberlain Main 3...

HOUSE—5 or 6 rooms by Feb 1st Close in Be responsible party P O Box 188

ROOMS—3 or 4 unfurnished rooms Call Main ...471

WOULD like to lease farm containing from ... to ... acres Address Box No ... care Review

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Farms and Land For Sale 83

GET AHEAD OF THE DERRICK—

640 acres ... Reeves County ... now in gusher class ... shallow field ... Price $... per acre in tracts of forty acres or more

320 acres in ... line of Reeves and Culberson Counties Texas ... Three miles from ... shallow field ... development of big ... company Price $10 ... per acre in tracts of forty acres or more Must sell quickly J ... O'Mara E ... Main St Decatur Ill Tel Main ...

SOUTH LAND—Half section ... Wayne ... grass and fruit ... trade for small modern residence Decatur Give legal description and price first letter Box No 4 ... care Review

... —... four room house ... ground Has fruit trees Cal County ...

Houses For Sale 84

$1 CASH—... 4 room cottage ... closets On full lots and ... in ... N Broadway ... first payment ... F M Tarr, 430 E Center St Main 6137

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Houses For Sale 84

CHURCH ST NORTH—Two 5 room cottages $2,... each 4 room cottage on N Union St lot 78x176 6 room house lot 54x187 on N College St price $3000 200 others in all parts of the city Allen 116 Merchant St

$500 DOWN—Buys 7 rooms modern On ... price $3000 A real bargain Main 6 0 R F Schwartz

EAST END—5 room half modern $ 00 down price $3... Hill & Son Realtor Main 3-3

EAST SIDE—5 room modern bungalow Garage big bargain Hill & Son Realtors Main 3...

EAST SIDE—5 room house electric lights full lot fruit of all kinds $... down $18 mo Hazenfield & Drobisch 116 Merchant St Main 2017

... WARD ST NORTH—Fine ... room ... lights gas and water Good furnace fine basement On full lot Real home for small payment down ... R F Schwartz Main ...

VICTORY—And railroad district Good large rooms lights $1400 5 rooms modern convenient to car and bus service Easy terms ...

... ROOM COTTAGE—Southwest part ... full lot basement price $... down balance as rent Six room modern except bath ... price $2600 Part cash West Wood St rooms thoroughly modern price $... $10 down balance monthly Decatur Real Estate Co 7-1 Gushard Bldg Main ...

... —Forced to sell 8 room modern ... lot ... front ... finish also ... front lot South Cerro ... both ... to settle estate ... 6 room new house full lot W ... St $... 7 room modern W Green $7 500 00 will take auto and little money for equity 7 R modern W King $4 ... will exchange for small tract Frank Cowwin Realtor 1... Merchant St M 4...

KING W 718— room part modern ... Main ...

MACON ST WEST—... room cottage part modern $400 down balance as rent price $3... J F Evans 422 Millikin Bldg Main 1189 ...

OIL BOOM IS HERE— Buy quick 5 room part modern with fireplace and ... in buffet ... North west Cheap at $22... D D Hill & Son Realtors Main 3 3

OIL RUSH IS ON—Buy now ... room modern bungalow ... High school ... Call ... Schwartz Main ...

PRAIRIE E—Six room part modern ... rooms ... Main Property in Riverside ... Fairview 1991

ST LOUIS AVE 11... —Six ... new house ... $100 down balance as rent Lot ...

WATER N ... —... room part modern ... full lot ...

WATER ST N— ... room cottage part modern built in features full lot good barn ... part cash ... room ... price ... good ... Real Estate Co ...

WEST END—Six room ... modern full lot ... This is a bargain J T Ferre Main 4...

WILLIAM ST E—Six room with gas and light ... Zinn ... Bldg M ... 6381

Real Estate For Exchange 88

INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES ... we have ... farms ... stock ... for ... in the ... Wi... Main 2...

Wanted—Real Estate 89

PROPERTY WANTED— ... Real Estate Co ... Bldg Main 913

AUCTIONS—LEGALS

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STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the ... Association will be held ... office ... on the 10th day of ... at 8 o clock P M for the election of ... other business ...

... STADEL Secretary

Legal Notices 91

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE

... the undersigned ... appointed Administratrix of the estate of ... late of the County of Macon State of Illinois deceased hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Macon County at the Court House in Decatur at the ... term on the first Monday in ... next at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned

Dated this ... day of December 1921
ANNIE TINNING
Administratrix

... Attorney

Legal Notices 91

LEGAL NOTICE

State of Illinois Macon County ss In the County Court to the ... Term A D 1922

In the matter of ascertaining ... heirship of ... M ...

... and to all whom it may concern

Public notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed ... in the County Court of Macon County Illinois setting forth under oath that ... died on the 13th day of August 1921 a resident of the City of ... County of Macon ... and that there ... and the said ... in order to ascertain his heirs and to dispense with administration That the Court has fixed the ... day of February 1922 at ten o clock ... for the hearing of said petition ... how and ... cause if any there be why said petition should not be granted

Dated this 3rd day of January A D 1922

CHAS H PATTERSON
County Clerk

CLASSIFIED DISPLAY

BUSINESS SERVICE

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.

DR. A. E. PRINCE

OF SPRINGFIELD ILL CONSULTATION DAYS EVERY TUESDAY AT OFFICES OF DR TOBEY (DENTIST) ... STANDARD LIFE BUILDING DECATUR ILL

FINANCIAL

Grocery For Sale

Well located fine territory around it Doing a good business and have good reasons for selling Will invoice about $1,...

J. M. Pickle

704 Millikin Bldg Main 1220

MERCHANDISE

Highest Cash Prices Paid For Your Cream, Poultry, Eggs Bring to Our Uptown buying Station

SWIFT & CO.

241 E. Eldorado St.

CLASSIFIED DISPLAY

MERCHANDISE

After Christmas Specials

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NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®

Relief of Paving Costs to be Asked by Street Railway

Will Lead to Return of Five Cent Fare —Chubbuck Wants Valuation of Property Made.

By C. A. Wait.

Review Staff Representative

Chicago Jan 5—Relief from street paving costs and a careful valuation of the street railway property by a competent engineer will be asked of the city of Decatur by the representatives of the Decatur Railway and Light Co in the meeting Friday night to discuss a franchise.

Relief of the paving burden will be asked so that a five cent fare may be re established as soon as possible.

CHUBBUCK'S STATEMENT

"We feel that the burden of street paving should be lifted from the cost of operation of street railway systems and that is what we expect to ask for in the Decatur situation" said H. I. Chubbuck executive vice president and general manager of the McKinley properties.

(garbled) ... the general franchise situation Mr McKinley asked the general manager ... who was present at the time.

PUBLIC MEETING

Mr McKinley agreed with Mr ... proposition ... the officials of the ... as the McKinley ... which was held ... meeting.

... of the system ... present and he ... to the public ... Mr Chubbuck.

WANT FIVE CENT FARE AGAIN

We are fighting for a return of the five cent fare said Mr Chubbuck and to have that fare ... the public wants ... should have there must be a lightening of the general burdens which have been placed on transportation systems.

The charging of the paving to the street car system has come down from the days of horse cars when the horses ... wear out the street ... come down from the days of ... fifteen cents and ... charge ... when one mile ... costs $ 000 a mile.

CAN NOT DO BOTH

If we are to return to the days of five cents we must make certain ... changes in street car railway ... We cannot carry the load of paving and go back to that rate.

In Kansas City the street paving is no longer put upon the street railway company. It is almost certain that Galesburg the burden will be taken from the shoulders of the street car riders—for that is where it eventually ... In many towns in the east the old street paving load has also been taken off the street car riders.

WILL ASK RELIEF

I think we might just as well say that the company will ask to be relieved of the street paving burden at Decatur.

We want to get back to the five cent fare. We believe that it is better for the community to have a fare as low as possible. It is better for the worker in a community to have his money for living for use in his home than to pay it out in excessive street car fares.

FARES PAY BILLS

The paving is put on the street car company. Everyone knows now that it must be made up in fares. Financial conditions are not as they once were. Times have changed. It is not likely that those times will come back. Street car companies are never again to be allowed to make excessive profit. If fares are to be low the burdens the non productive burdens must be made low also and kept low.

When asked about the Decatur situation and the proposed street paving program the street railway officials indicated that their position would be that the street car company should not be burdened with that load that it would stand in the way of lower fares toward which they all agreed they were looking.

ASK SURVEY OF PROPERTY.

Relative to the subject of the specific franchise for Decatur the traction officials expressed the belief that one thing which the citizens committee could and should do would be to secure an honest and competent engineer to make an accurate survey of the street car company property as a first basis for the figuring of fares.

That some form of service at cost is to be asked by the company is a practical certainty. That an adequately fair return not an excessive return just a fair return—we will be very glad to get that said Mr Chubbuck—must be planned they all agreed, if circuit is to be established.

EXTENSIONS NOT DEFINITE

Provisions for extensions such as the Last Wood street line to Nelson park were rather hazy in the minds of the officials at the Chicago meeting.

Extensions never have been paid for out of earnings—that is not at once. They have been financed by borrowing and the bonds paid off through a sinking fund the riders as usual, paying that bill in the long run payment of the bonus. These borrowings cannot be made unless some fair chance of a return on the investment and the ultimate payment of the bonds themselves is provided and such extensions cannot be made said Mr Mattis treasurer of the company and general watchdog of its finances.

TWO CRUCIAL POINTS

That these two points will be crucial ones in the new Decatur franchise now seems certain. That the franchise proposition as coming from the Decatur Railway & Light Co will include something on this line with service at cost in some form as a general basis now seems certain.

The people can have just whatever they are willing to pay for. The man who wants Pierce Arrow service pays $6 000 for a chance to ride that way. The man who is willing to use Ford service gets along with $600 said Mr McKinley who sat by and listened to what his lieutenants had to say before he said anything.

THE TWO THINGS

We are ready to talk franchise concluded Mr Chubbuck "and there are at least two things we consider essential—the elimination of the paving costs from the street car burden so that lower fares may that much more quickly be reached and a careful valuation of the property of the street car company by a competent honest expert engineer. It seems to me that this committee with the aid of the city council could well make a start just here.

That the general subject of new conditions in street railway operation had been under discussion by these officials of the many lines represented was evident. That the decision to ask that the street paving be taken from the burdens of the companies had been taken was also plain.

NEW ERA AT HAND

These officials say that a new era in street railway operation is at hand. The coming of the automobile has lessened the volume of business even in the growing cities and for this reason some of the old arguments for the retention of the street paving burden they claim now no longer hold. The automobile has also made the question of extensions a rather hard one in that extensions are now longer than ever getting to a paving basis.

This is not going to be settled in a day or in a week or two said Mr Chubbuck. In the meantime as far as the street car officials are concerned the Decatur street paving program has no reason for delay.

It is evident that they expect to make a plea for relief from that burden on the ground that it is not really fair to put it on the street car riders and that its retention will delay the return to the five cent fare which is admitted even by Mr Chubbuck to be the desirable rate to which to return as quickly as possible.

FINAL EXAMINATIONS TO BE HELD JAN. 26

Rural Schools Will Use D. H. S.

The mid year final examinations for rural schools will be held in the Decatur high school at 10 o'clock Jan 26.

The indoor athletic meet will be held at the Y M C A gymnasium beginning at 9 o'clock Feb 10.

Boys who are to take part in the meet will be given the use of the gym from 12 to 2 o'clock Saturday afternoons beginning Jan 7.

The next monthly examination will be held Jan 20.

Teachers of schools entered in the spelling contest should submit their eighth and tenth grade enrollments to the county superintendent by Feb ...

OLD REALTY FIRM AGAIN IN BUSINESS

G. A. Rice and E. F Stringer Form Partnership.

G A Rice and E F Stringer have again formed a partnership in the real estate business to be known as the firm of Rice and Stringer.

They have their offices in the former location of this firm at 110 North Water street. Except for the last sixteen months this firm has done business at this location for more than six years.

Both Mr Rice and Mr Stringer are active members of the Decatur Real Estate Board.

NIGHT SCHOOL TO OPEN TONIGHT

Registration to Start at 7 30—First Classes Monday.

Registration for classes in the night school will be held at the High School Thursday night beginning at 7 30. The regular classes will start on Monday evening and will be held each Monday and Thursday night thereafter.

CLOTHING FOR CHILDREN NEEDED

The Social Service Bureau is desperately in need of children's clothing of every description particularly shoes of all kinds and sizes and anyone who can spare clothing is urged to give it to this organization inasmuch as during the cold wave many children will appreciate dry warm whole clothing. The bureau is located at 310 Citizens Bank Building. The telephone number is Fairview 280.

MRS. JENKINS OF BEMENT DIES HERE

Death Caused By Complications.

Mrs Elizabeth Jane Jenkins of Bement died at 8 o'clock Thursday morning at the Decatur and Macon County hospital. She would have been fifty seven years old this month. Her death was caused by a complication of diseases.

Mrs Jenkins was born at Tower Hill Ill Jan 11 1865. Most of her life had been spent in Sailor Springs and Herrick where she was well known. She was a member of the Christian church. She is survived by six children Benjamin Sloat, Frank Sloat Mrs Lula Beel all of Herrick, Thaddeus Sloat of West Terre Haute Ind Elkin Sloat of White Heath and Gardner Sloat of Dewey Ill.

The body was removed to the Monson & Wilcox undertaking establishment and will be taken to Bement where the funeral will be held.

OSCAR M. PHARES DIES IN HOSPITAL

Was Former Resident of Clinton—Retired Farmer

Oscar M Phares formerly of Clinton died at 1 0 o'clock Thursday morning at the Decatur and Macon County hospital. He was sixty five years old last August. His death was caused by a complication of diseases. He had been in failing health for two or three years and had been in the hospital since last August.

Mr Phares was born in Clinton Ill Aug 18 ... He devoted most of his life to farming between Clinton and Maroa. He was widely known in that section and had many friends. He was a member of Maroa lodge A F and A M. About three years ago he retired and moved to Decatur to make his home with his sister Mrs C W Sigler ... West Macon street. He was never married. Besides Mrs Sigler he is survived by another sister Mrs J H I... of 711 West Leafland avenue and a brother W G Phares 1 4 North Taylor avenue.

The body was removed to the Monson & Wilcox undertaking establishment and prepared for burial. The funeral will be held in Clinton but the time has not been decided on.

THOMAS CHURCHMAN

Thomas E Churchman died at the family residence 1 ... West Wood at 0 ... Thursday morning. Mr Churchman was born in Worcester O May ... 1861. He was married to Nancy L Taylor in Dawson.

Mr Churchman came to Decatur some years ago and has lived here since. He was a member of the Central Church of Christ and of the Modern Woodmen.

He leaves one brother and one sister ... F Churchman and Mrs Catherine Einstein both of Decatur.

Funeral services will be held from the residence at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon with burial in Fairlawn.

FUNERALS.

MRS MATTIE PEACOCK

The body of Mrs Mattie Peacock wife of Wabash Engineer ... O C Peacock ... Friday ... and will be taken to the Monson & Wilcox chapel to await funeral arrangements.

Besides her sisters Misses Olive and ... Peacock ... Decatur high school ... Mrs ... two brothers ... and ... Bear of Decatur. She was an aunt of Ralph Bear of Decatur and of ... with whose ... she ... was stricken with apoplexy Sunday.

H A TOHILL

The funeral of H A Tohill has been postponed from Thursday to Saturday at the United Brethren church in Dalton City. He lives are coming from a distance and cannot arrive before Saturday. The interment will be in the Long Creek cemetery.

TRANSFER HOUSE MOTION FAILS

Van Praag Wanted Busses To Use It For Passengers.

Commissioner Van Praag tried to give the bus owners a New Years present Thursday. He made a motion that inasmuch as the Transfer house is the property of the city and is for the convenience of the public, the busses be allowed to take on and unload passengers at the Transfer house. No one seconded the motion so the bus owners will have to take the spirit for the deed.

NEWS FROM THE SICK

The condition of H ... Burks 535 South Monroe who suffered a relapse Tuesday but was somewhat improved Wednesday remains about the same.

Dr Cass Chenoweth who has been ill for four weeks at his home is slowly improving. Dr Chenoweth was able to sit up Wednesday longer than at any time during his illness.

BORN.

To Mr and Mrs Thomas Ezra Carter three and one half miles south of town on R R No 6 Jan 4 a son. He has been named Robert Ezra.

To Mr and Mrs Ralph Landes 1171 West Eldorado Jan 1 a son. He has been named Jack.

To Mr and Mrs William O Heusel 812 North Main Jan 1 a daughter. She has been named Opal Bernadine.

Ralph Chance Believed to be Fatally Burned

Pouring Gasoline on Fire When Can Explodes; Mother Slightly Injured.

Ralph Chance aged 27 years, son of Mr and Mrs W M Chance 850 East Marietta street was believed to be fatally burned, and his mother was badly burned on the hands and arms shortly after 7 o'clock Thursday morning when he poured gasoline on to the fire in the kitchen range to hurry the fire along.

CAN EXPLODES

He was pouring from a one gallon can said to be full of gasoline. The flame shot up and exploded the can. He was badly burned over the entire body with the exception of a few spots on his feet and lower limbs.

He was hurried to the Decatur and Macon County hospital where physicians attending said he could probably live but a few hours.

At 2 30 Thursday afternoon Ralph Chance was still alive.

MAY HAVE BEEN MISTAKE

Neighbors say that young Chance was probably the first one arising and that he started to build the fire. No story could be secured from him but it is believed that he thought he was getting the coal oil instead of the gasoline.

Thomas Winkler a neighbor saw the victim of the flames rush out of the house, a blazing mass.

RAN OUT OF HOUSE

"He ran out of the house and then back in" said Winkler "then came running out again. I grabbed some blankets from my bed and rushed out and threw them around him. I don't believe he had dressed before starting the fire as he did not seem to have anything on but his underclothing.

Mrs Chance aroused hurried to her son and in attempting to put out the flame was badly burned along the hands and lower part of the arms. Chance is twenty seven years old unmarried, and is a mechanic employed at the Wood Fare Box factory.

The fire department was called and extinguished the blaze in the house with only slight damage done.

GRANT PERMIT FOR WIRELESS AERIAL

Council Asks $5,000 Bond Be Furnished.

The petition of C W Brewer manager for the Bennett Grain company to erect and maintain a wireless telephone aerial over Prairie avenue from the company office in the Suffern building to the top of the Bachman Bros & Martin building was granted by the city council Thursday morning on recommendation of Commissioner Harry Ruthrauff.

It is stipulated however that the petitioner must file a bond in the sum of $5 000 to protect the city from any claims for damages that may arise on account of the presence of the aerial over the street and the work must be done subject to the approval of the building inspector.

REPORTS ON LIGHTS

Commissioner John F Mattes to whom had been referred a complaint that the lights were not kept burning in the halls and corridors of the Norman apartments presented a statement signed by the tenants of the apartments saying that the lights are always burning here at night except when prevented by some accident at the power plant or other unavoidable cause.

ASKS REBATE

Harry Lovejoy asked that his pool room license at 604 East Eldorado be rebated to him as he has sold the place and closed it. The matter was referred to Commissioner Montgomery but several members of the council expressed opposition to any rebate.

WANTS LOWER RATES

When Commissioner Van Praag moved that the corporation counsel petition the Illinois commerce commission for a hearing to compel the telephone company to reduce its rates Corporation Counsel Monroe said that there was such a case pending on which a report was to have been filed Dec 31 and that he had written for a copy of that report. No action will be taken until the report is received and then none may be necessary.

MILLIKIN NOTES.

Dr W L Darby field secretary at Millikin returned Wednesday evening from Washington D C where he had spent the holidays with his family. Dr Darby will spend the remaining days of this week in Decatur but will go to Springfield Sunday to be gone for several days in the interest of the endowment campaign.

Rev C C Brown who is working with Dr Darby on the campaign was expected to return from his home in Muscatine Ia Thursday evening. Friday morning President L E Holden Dr Darby and Rev Brown will make arrangements for campaign activities for the month.

Gamma Epsilon Tau the honorary scientific fraternity held a special meeting at the university Thursday afternoon.

Millikin students and faculty were guests at tea Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock of the Sophomore class. The teas are a weekly affair at the university and have been gaining in popularity steadily.

Warren Barnes one of Coach Wann's basket ball squad did not return to the university after the holidays being confined to the hospital at his home in Lawrenceville by illness.

ORATORIO CHOIR MEETS TONIGHT

First Session to Be Held In High School Auditorium at 7 30.

The first meeting of the Decatur Oratorio choir for this season will be held Thursday night at 7 30 at the high school auditorium. It is expected that all old members of the choir will be present and other singers are invited to come.

A good part of the time will be given to organization at the meeting Thursday night but a start also will be made on the rehearsing.

Contagion.

Diphtheria — Gaither family 858 Last Condit.

HAULING CINDERS TO COUNTY BRIDGE

City Trying to Hurry Opening of Bridge.

The city is losing no time in trying to put the county bridge road in condition for traffic. Mayor Borchers reported Thursday morning that two of the park department trucks had hauled cinders to the road Wednesday in spite of the bad wether. He said there probably would be three trucks at work Thursday afternoon and he asked Commissioner Van Praag to send a street department truck also to help out in the work. Van said that the truck was being used in repairing the damage to the sewer in Industry court, but that he would send it to the road so there will be at least four trucks hauling cinders there.

ANOTHER VERSION OF AUTO ACCIDENT

R. A. Baird Says Driver Did Not Run Away.

That the owner of the Ford car that struck Mrs Hitchens and little son at the corner of Haworth and West Wood streets Wednesday evening did not jump in and drive away leaving the victims is the statement made Thursday by R A Baird who resides at the corner and who was attracted to the scene of the accident by Mrs Hitchens screams.

In view of an incorrect report given" said Mr Baird "it is only fair to the owner of the car to tell of what I saw. When I arrived Mrs Hitchens and the boy were standing there and so was the driver of the car. As I stood by him he made the remark that he would give her his name and he felt through his pocket for pencil and paper but did not find either. Then he went around to the other side of the car to get these things from some one in the car.

WOMAN LEFT

When he did get the pencil and paper he started back around the car to Mrs Hitchens but she and the little boy were gone had crossed Wood street and were a little distance down Haworth. He then remarked that he guessed it was all right so he got in the car and drove away. He and I were the last two to leave the spot.

The Review's report as given elsewhere that the driver jumped in his car and hurried away was received partly from the police and partly from one who claimed to know something of the accident.

ORDER $300 WORTH LIGHT EQUIPMENT

Will About Strip Department Of Available Funds

Commissioner Ruthrauff was instructed by the city council Thursday to purchase about $300 worth of coils rectifiers etc for replacements. He explained that he had always endeavored to keep such a supply on hand for use in case coils or other portions of the equipment burned out but that he had had only enough on hand to replace those destroyed by the storms during the last few weeks and that should these be burned out some parts of the city would have to go without lights for awhile.

It takes three or four weeks to get an order for such supplies delivered here. He had hesitated about ordering these materials for the reason that there is just barely enough money in the water and light funds to keep both those departments running till about the last of April the end of the fiscal year and he didn't want any bills hanging over.

If the materials are purchased it may be necessary to do without lights on some moonlight nights to save coal and not entirely exhaust the funds, for there is only enough money to run both departments till about the middle of April if the materials are bought now. Any way, the days will be longer by the middle of April and it will not take as much coal to run the light plant.

MEETINGS.

The Progress Rebekah Lodge No 141 will have a regular meeting Thursday evening in the Odd Fellows hall North Main street. There will be installation of officers.

GIRLS, BUCKLE 'EM IF YOU WANT TO DO AS CHICAGO DOES

"Please tell Decatur girls they are wearing 'em buckled here" says a letter to The Review from Chicago "only a few a slopping along with them open.

MORE CHANGES IN C. I. & W. HOSTLERS

Contractors and Old Men Both on Job.

It's the old on again off again story with the C I & W hostlers at Decatur since the company started to handle its engines and engine pits here with contract job hostlers. At noon Thursday it was a sort of stand off affair.

Some days ago after the contractor and his hostlers had been on the job several days it is said the contractor was persuaded to call up C I & W officials and give up the contract. Whether this story is correct could not be determined. Since that time however, the old men who had been on the job working for the company before the contractor took the work over have returned to work. They returned on their old basis of eight hours a day.

Thursday morning however the contractor had returned and with him came a force of about four men. They went down to the engine pits and notified the regular foreman and his men that they had come to take over the work and were ready to start. The regular foreman rather surprised sent a message to his boss at Indianapolis and in return received a message instructing him to stay on the job until further notice. This sort of mussed things up and at noon the old regulars were on the job while the contract men were sitting around claiming the job.

Freight Tariffs Received

Notices and copies of the new freight tariffs in which reduced rates were put into effect on cattle hay grain and a number of other farm products by the railroads in this territory have just been received in Decatur freight offices although they were to have gone into effect Jan 1.

This is a reduction of ten per cent ordered by the Interstate Commerce commission but men who know the tariffs say that for Decatur these reductions mean almost nothing. The ten per cent cut is based on the freight rate in effect Sept 1 1920. Since that date rates on most of these commodities had already been reduced to some extent some to fully ten per cent.

F. R Lee Here

Chairman F P Lee of the Wabash Federated Crafts was in Decatur Thursday morning first holding a meeting with the roundhouse committee and then going with the committee to see Master Mechanic W C Chambers. It is understood the conference was still on the Sunday overtime work at the roundhouse.

Clinton District Wins

According to figures compiled for the no accident campaign on the Illinois Central during December the Clinton district won out in the contest with the Springfield district both districts being on the Springfield division. For the entire Illinois Central system a great saving in expense was made by more careful handling of trains. The number of train accidents for December on the whole system was only twenty three at a cost of $1 940 as compared with seventy three at a cost of $65 262 a year ago. In damage to equipment the December number was 523 at a cost of $13 ... as compared with 957 and a cost of $41 ... 99 a year ago.

Railroad Notes

A Washington dispatch announces that the Illinois Central railroad has just repaid the government a loan of $ 750 000 which the government advanced that company during the war.

The Pennsylvania Railroad company has just placed orders for 81-00 tons of new steel rail for 1922 delivery. A year ago the company placed orders for 200 000 tons for 1921 delivery.

Pennsylvania pay checks for Decatur employes are to be a couple of days late in arrival for January the dates being Jan 9 and 23.

Clerk Bridge of the C I & W has arrived in Decatur to go to work next Monday this being an additional clerk to the force. He has been working for the company at Newman.

Life's Lighter Hours

Mrs H T Koeppe 812 East Main entertained the members of the Amicitia 500 club at her home Tuesday afternoon. Mrs O A Thronell and Mrs Ed Erisman were awarded prizes. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs Kelly 1505 North Water, Tuesday Jan 17.

To Play Off Tie

The tie for the championship in the Sunday School Volleyball League between the Grace Methodist and the First Presbyterian churches will be played off on the Y M C A floor at 7 30 Friday night in a three out of five game match. A ten cents admission fee will be charged the money to be used to purchase a pennant for the winning team.

DEEDS RECORDED

Frederick Morantz to Fred Davidson $1 nw1/4 sw1/4 25 16 2 east $1

Fred Davidson to Decatur lodge No 684 Loyal Order of Moose same property $1

Mary M Witt to A J Witt w1/2 se1/4 2 and se1/4 nw1/4 22 and ne1/4 se1/4 22 17 1 west $5 000

J H Latham to H B Whitney lot 27 Elm Ridge $1

S W Johns to H W Buchanan lots 14 15 and 16 block 14 Johns second addition $1 425

Theodore Fisher to W T Layton lots 2 and 3 Theodore Fisher's subdivision $1

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Lloyd E Ratliff Alhambra Ill ... 22
Goldie M Sparks, Marshall, Ill. ... 19

Pressure Behind Oil Half Fills New Well

Tubing and Tanks to Be Unloaded Friday—Big Pump to Be Used.

Tubing and tanks for the Lincoln Oil Company well will arrive in Decatur Friday and will be unloaded during the day. Pumping will be started by the first of the week.

Thursday morning there was ... feet of fluid in the well—an increase of more than 200 feet since Wednesday—showing there is considerable pressure behind it. The pump to be installed at the well will pump between seventy and eighty barrels an hour. When this pump has been working for a day the men owning the well will then be able to tell what the production is and not until then will they know.

NO GUESSES

If there is enough pressure ... the oil to keep it up ... feet in tubing the well should produce several hundred barrels of oil a day the men say.

The men back of the well are counting on ... oil field ... big thing for Decatur, as the oil deposits and other interests pointed to in Oklahoma.

SCRAPS OF NEWS

WRONG NAME

In the picture of men interested in the Lincoln Oil company well used in Tuesday evening's Review, the name of A M Myers was used under the picture of J B Gubel.

BANK CLEARINGS

Bank clearings for the week ending Thursday were $940 801 34. Last week they were $ ... 191 31. The same week last year they were $1 166 895 08.

OPENS OFFICE HERE

Lloyd Crabb at one time circuit court reporter in Decatur has moved back from Hamilton O and has opened a public stenographer's office on the sixth floor of the Standard Life building. Judge Crabb as he is familiarly called was an efficient court reporter and since leaving Decatur has made good in other lines. However this is his home and he would rather be here than in some other city.

ROAD NEVER SLICK

At no time during the icy spell was the new hard road too slick for travel. This was a surprise to many people who thought that when the ice formed on the concrete the road would be so slick that it would be dangerous for automobiles. Enough people had chains on the cars however to cut the ice all to pieces and it did not interfere at all with the use of the road.

BURN CHRISTMAS GREENS

The Young Women's Bible class of the Y W C A will have its first meeting after the holiday vacation Friday night. The young women will have supper together as usual followed by the regular lesson study. Afterwards the burning of the Christmas Greens according to the Twelfth Night custom will take place. This will be followed by a social hour. It is hoped that every member will be present.

Classes in gymnasium resumed their work the first of the week. All the classes now are meeting regularly again.

BONE BROKEN

Mrs Nora Gatchell 150 East Main street who was injured Saturday evening when she stepped from an East Prairie bus and fell has had an X ray taken and has discovered that a small bone in the left leg is broken. It will be about six weeks before Mrs Gatchell will be able to walk.

POSTPONE MEETING

The meeting of the Woman's Society of the First Baptist church has been postponed from this Friday until Friday afternoon Jan 13 because of the death of Mrs O C Peacock a former member of the society. The meeting will be held in the home of Mrs Ameling 3 S Stuart avenue.

MANY GET PACKAGES

Since the list of undeliverable Christmas packages was printed in The Review several days ago giving the names of those to whom packages were addressed nearly every owner has called and received their package. Only a few are now left. One addressee had moved to Monticello but noticed his list and called here for the package.

Elite Club

The Elite Club will meet at 2 30 Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs Claude Fritz 1645 North Monroe street.

MISS MONTGOMERY HERE FOR VISIT

Has Been Instructor in Walter Reed Hospital

Miss Alberta Montgomery arrived in Decatur Tuesday from Washington D. C on a two weeks leave of absence which she will spend with her mother Mrs J E Montgomery and other relatives.

Miss Montgomery has successfully conducted an Arts and Crafts shop in the Walter Reed hospital in Washington for the last two years and not only jewelry but large pieces of sterling silver tableware have been shipped from this shop all over the civilized world.

WORK OF SOLDIERS

These articles are the work of soldiers who had given little interest to such things previous to the war but since that time have become efficient smiths in the work. Some of the men fill responsible positions with jewelry firms since leaving the hospital.

In December 1921 more than $4 000 worth of goods was made and sold through a bazaar and holiday orders. These various articles were made by the soldiers who pay for their own material and therefore get the benefit of the sales.

GIVES UP WORK

Although loathe to give up this work Miss Montgomery is forced to do so as she has been promoted to the supervisorship of the entire reconstruction work in the hospital the highest honor and position possible to tender at the post. The position carries with it a material advance in salary. Miss Montgomery will take up her new work upon her return to Washington.

Miss Montgomery is well known in Decatur having taught art in the Decatur high school for a time.

Wrong Name.

Through an error in the city directory the name of James A Cochran who with his wife is celebrating his sixty-second wedding anniversary Thursday, appeared in the Review as John A. Cochran.

COUNTY FAIR MEN MEET FEB. 7

State Convention to Held in Decatur.

The State Association of County Fair Officials will hold their annual convention in Decatur Feb 7 it was announced at the Association of Commerce Thursday. ... Several hundred people will be in attendance. Details of the convention have not been decided upon but a dinner for the delegates will be ... in the Y M C A annex on Tuesday evening Jan 7.

The convention was secured for Decatur by the convention committee through the co operation of Mont Penwell who is a field of Assistant State Director of Agriculture. It is under the auspices of this state department that the convention is held.

Officials of County Fairs of every county in the state will attend the convention.

FLOODING Y. M. C. A TENNIS COURT

Hope to Provide Skating By The day Night.

Water was being applied in successive thin layers on the tennis court at the Y M C A Thursday morning and as rapidly as one layer ... another was applied. According to Director Virgil Metzler if the ... stays well hidden it is entirely possible that the courts will be ready for skating Thursday night.

An effort was being made Thursday noon to secure water from the city and if this was done it was planned to flood the courts at Art Institute immediately using hose from the fire department as the area to cover is much greater than that at the Y M C A.

CAMP GRANT WILL BE TRAINING CENTER

Washington Jan 5—Camp Grant at Rockford Ill one of the army cantonments built during world war will be offered to state of Illinois for maintenance military training center it was today at the war department.

Ownership of the camp would remain vested in the war department the contract with the state of Illinois providing that control of project could be revoked at the ... of the department in event of emergency. Congressional authorization for the transfer it was ... would not be necessary.

LATE MARKETS

LIBERTY BONDS

New York Jan 5—Liberty bonds closed 3½s 9... first 4s 9... second 4s 96 0 first 4¼s 97 14 second 4¼s 96 56 third 4¼s 9... fourth 4¼s 97 1... Victory 4¾s 100 06 Victory 4¾s 10...

NEW YORK COTTON.

New York Jan 5—Spot ... quiet middlings 8... Cotton futures closed ... steady January 18 45 March 1... May 17 86, July 17 ... October 1...

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

New York Jan 5—Foreign exchange heavy.

Great Britain demand 4 1... cables 4 19... France demand ... Italy demand 4 2... Belgium demand 7 ... Germany demand 0... land demand 36 5... Norway demand 14 45. Sweden demand ... 0 Denmark demand 18 9... Switzerland demand 19 30. Spain demand 1... Greece demand 4 3... Argentine demand 33 2... Brazil demand 1... Montreal 94 9 16.

COMMERCIAL PAPER

New York Jan 5— ... loans firm ... ruling rate ... closing ... offered at 4 last loan ... call against acceptances 4 ... Time loans easy 60 days 90 days months 5 ... Prime mercantile paper ...

NEW YORK METAL

New York Jan 5— ... PPER—Steady electrolytic spot and near 14 ... 14 ...

TIN—Weak spot and near 32 00 futures 32 00

IRON—Steady and unchanged

LEAD—Steady spot 4 0 4...

ZINC—Quiet East St. Louis delivery spot 4 90 4 95

ANTIMONY—Spot 4 ...

MINNEAPOLIS FLOUR

Minneapolis Jan 5—FLOUR— ... to higher family patents ... a barrel in ... pound cotton sacks

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